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ALLIED CHIEFS DECIDE WAR PLANS

"Attacks From East, West and South"

NEW TALKS IN PROGRESS

A WARNING TO GERMANY IS CONTAINED IN A JOINT DECLARATION BY MARSHAL STALIN, MR. CHURCHILL AND PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT, ISSUED LAST NIGHT, FOLLOWING THEIR FOUR-DAY CONFERENCE AT TEHERAN.

The Allied leaders, with their military and political staffs, made plans for concerted attacks on Germany and for the post-war period.

"We have reached complete agreement," the Declaration stated, "as to the scope and timing of the operations, which will be undertaken from the east, west and south.

"No power on earth can prevent our destroying the German armies by land, their U-boats by sea, and their war plants from the air."

The Declaration expressed the three nations' aim to achieve an enduring peace and, to this end, to bring about the participation of all countries in "a world family of democratic nations."

It was disclosed in London last night that a new conference is now in progress. This is stated to be in North Africa, with Turkey participating.

THE declaration of the three Allied leaders states:—

We, the President of the United States of America, the Prime Minister of Great Britain and the Premier of the Soviet Union, have met these four days past in this, the capital of our ally, Iran, and have shaped and confirmed our common policy.

We expressed our determination that our nations shall work together in war and in the peace that will follow.

As to war, our military staffs have joined in our round table discussions, and we have concerted our plans for the destruction of the German forces.

We have reached complete agreement as to the scope and timing of the operations, which will be undertaken from the east, west and south. The common understanding which we have here reached guarantees that victory will be ours.

And, as to peace, we are sure that our concord will make it an enduring peace. We recognise fully the supreme responsibility resting upon us and all the United Nations to make a peace which will command the goodwill of the overwhelming masses of the peoples of the world and banish the scourge and terror of war for many generations.

With our diplomatic advisers we have surveyed the problems of the future. We shall seek the co-operation and the active participation of all nations, large and small, whose peoples in heart and mind are dedicated, as are our own peoples, to the elimination of tyranny and slavery, oppression and intolerance. We will welcome them as they may choose to come into a world family of democratic nations.

No power on earth can prevent our destroying the German Armies by land, their U-boats by sea and their war plants from the air. Our attacks will be relentless and increasing.

From these friendly conferences we look with confidence to the day when all peoples of the world may live free lives, untouched by tryanny, and according to their varying desires and their own consciences.

We came here with hope and determination. We leave here friends in fact, in spirit and in purpose.

The three Powers also issued a declaration recognising the assistance and co-operation given by Iran, and stating that they will continue economic aid to that country. At the close of the war Iran's problems will receive full consideration along with those of the other United Nations.

Staff Talks to Come

THE Press Association Military Correspondent states:—

Staff talks between the naval, military and air chiefs of the three nations will be needed to implement the conference decisions, and as the service heads have been at hand during the conferences, it is conceivable that they may decide to go straight ahead while on the spot, and before they return to their respective countries.

They will be drawing up plans for the greatest combined operations in history, one of the important items being the appointment of a Supreme Commander-in-Chief.

Stalin's Tribute to Allies' Aid

Mr. Churchill and President Roosevelt, with all their advisers present in North Africa, apart from the Pacific politicians and commanders, flew to Teheran on November 27th.

Marshal Stalin stayed in a small villa in the grounds of the Soviet Embassy, Mr. Churchill in the guest suite of the British Legation, and President Roosevelt at the United States Legation.

The military agreements were completed by the afternoon of November 30th—the second day of the Conference. Political and economic post-war problems were solved and agreed upon the following day.

On the day of the first meeting of the three leaders Stalin walked to the Soviet Embassy and stayed with President Roosevelt for ninety minutes before Mr. Churchill arrived.

High staff officers were called in during the talks, which throughout were held in an atmosphere of great friendliness.

Toasting one of the distinguished company at one of the nightly banquets, Stalin paid tribute to the United Nations for their material aid to the Russian Armies. "Without American machines the United Nations could never have won the war," he said.

The conferences, which began on November 28th, followed the pattern established in North Africa, with the staff members meeting for morning talks. In the afternoon the staff members and Stalin, Roosevelt and Churchill all mixed together for general discussion.

Plenary sessions were held in the Conference Room of the Soviet Embassy. The room also served as a banqueting hall, each Chief of State taking turns as nominal host.

Among those attending the Conference were:—

Britain—Mr. A. Eden, Foreign Secretary; Admiral of the Fleet Sir Andrew Cunningham, First Sea Lord; General Sir Alan Brooke, Chief of Imperial General Staff; Air Chief Marshal Sir Charles Portal, Chief of Air Staff; Sir Hastings Ismay, Chief of Staff to Mr. Churchill; Lord Moran, personal physician to Mr. Churchill, and Mr. Churchill's daughter, Sarah (Mrs. Vic Oliver).

United States — Mr. Harry Hopkins, President Roosevelt's special assistant; Mr. Averell Harriman, American Ambassador in Moscow; Mr. John Winant, American Ambassador in London; General Marshall, Chief of Staff, American Army; General Arnold, Chief of the American Army Air Force; and Admiral King, C.-in-C., American Fleet.

Russia—M. Molotov, Commissar for Foreign Affairs; Marshal Voroshilov, and others whose names have not been disclosed.

Following is a diary of the conference subsequent to Mr. Churchill's arrival:—

Sunday, November 28th. — The British Chiefs of Staff and American military chiefs started work at 9.30 a.m. In the evening, Stalin, Roosevelt and Churchill attended the first plenary conference with the Chiefs of Staff. This was followed by a dinner given by President Roosevelt, which lasted till midnight.

Monday, November 29th.—All the Allied Chiefs of Staffs met early and were in conference for three hours at the Russian Embassy. The Stalingrad Sword was presented in the afternoon. The plenary session of the conference resumed shortly after 4 p.m., and lasted till 7.30 p.m. Afterwards all attended a dinner given by Marshal Stalin.

Tuesday, November 30th. — Mr. Churchill's birthday. The Prime Minister went to the Russian Embassy to see the Shah of Persia, who presented him with a meshed carpet. Stalin, Churchill and Roosevelt had an informal meeting before the usual 4.30 p.m. conference.

Wednesday, December 1.—Marshal Stalin was received in audience by the Shah. The Prime Minister, accompanied by Mr. Eden, lunched with President Roosevelt and Marshal Stalin. The three leaders worked till 4.30 p.m., when their diplomatic advisers joined them. After dinner the work continued late into the night of crossing the "t's" and dotting the "i's" of the points previously discussed.

Thursday, December 2.—At 8 a.m. the roar of 'planes told of the end of the conference and of the departure of the Allied leaders. Just prior to his departure the Shah of Persia sent President Roosevelt a beautiful old Ispahan carpet. The Shah gave Marshal Stalin a Khorasan wool and silk rug.

Intensive staff conferences continued when President Roosevelt and Mr. Churchill and their staff officers returned to North Africa.



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Mr. Churchill's Birthday

One of the largest gatherings during the Teheran talks was that at Mr. Churchill's 69th birthday party.

Marshal Stalin rose to every toast, clinked glasses with the person toasted, and in six different speeches stressed his friendship for Mr. Churchill and President Roosevelt.

Mr. Churchill announced his desire that the Russian custom of toasts should be observed, and proposed "Roosevelt the Man." President Roosevelt, seconded by Marshal Stalin, proposed the health of Mr. Churchill, to whom Stalin persistently referred as "my fighting friend."

Mr. Churchill then proposed "Stalin the Great."

The party was held on November 30th in the drawingroom of the British Legation, and was attended by the principal delegates from the three Powers. On the table was a cake fifteen inches wide, with a huge layer of cream and sixty-nine candles. —(Reuter.)

New Loaf Next Monday

The first deliveries of the new 85 per cent. extraction plus 10 per cent. barley flour will be made to bakers and traders towards the end of this week, but neither the flour nor the white loaf will be available to the public before Monday next.

The ex-mill price of the new flour will show an increase of 3s. 6d. per sack of 20 stones on that of the 100 per cent. extraction flour, and the price of the 4lb. "batch" loaf will be 1d. extra, with a corresponding increase in the price of the "fancy" loaf. The retail price of the new flour will be 2d. per stone more than that of the present product.

Eleven Ships Sunk.—United States submarines sank eleven Japanese merchantmen in the Pacific, states a United States Navy Department communiqué. The vessels were one large tanker, nine medium freighters and one small freighter.

18 Sinkings By British Submarines

TWO medium-sized supply ships, fourteen small supply ships, a large landing craft and a floating dock, 300 feet long, have been sunk by British submarines, the British Admiralty announced yesterday.

All the sinkings, with the exception of the landing craft, took place in the Ægean.

The official report states:—

"H.M. submarines continue the offensive against German shipping and German controlled shipping in the Mediterranean. An escorted medium-sized supply vessel was torpedoed and sunk off the island of Samos, and another supply vessel of medium size was sunk by torpedo while lying at anchor in Monemvasia Bay, southern Greece.

"Fourteen small supply ships, several of which were carrying ammunition were destroyed elsewhere in the Ægean. One submarine successfully bombarded warehouses on the shores of the island of Naxos, and sank a seaplane moored in a bay. A floating dock, 300 feet in length, which was being towed, was destroyed in the same area.

"In addition to these successful actions in the Ægean, a submarine torpedoed and sank a large landing craft in the Gulf of Genoa. The landing craft, which was in tow, was laden with motor transport. Off Toulon a tanker of medium size was hit by a torpedo. It was not possible to observe the full result of this attack."

Rice Scarcity Artificial

IMPORTS of rice during the past two years have exceeded those of pre-emergency years, and it is believed officially that the rice scarcity is artificial. The price of rice is, therefore, to be controlled.

STALINGRAD SWORD PRESENTED

THE Stalingrad Sword—Britain's tribute to the people of Stalingrad—was presented to Marshal Stalin by Mr. Churchill on November 29th during the Teheran talks.

Twenty British soldiers lined one wall of the conference room, facing twenty Russian machine-gunners.

The sword was held by a British lieutenant, with the point resting on the ground. Standing opposite was a Russian lieutenant who was to receive it.

Mr. Churchill entered the room bareheaded and in the uniform of an Air Commodore. Stalin entered by the door opposite, and moved silently to the table, where he stood facing Mr. Churchill.

Stalin, his face impassive, wore the uniform of a Marshal of the Soviet Union with the ribbon and star of a Hero of the Soviet Union. President Roosevelt also entered the room and sat in an armchair. Behind Stalin stood M. Molotov and Marshal Voroshilov.

A Russian band struck up the Internationale and then the British National Anthem. Mr. Churchill stood at the salute, and Stalin raised his right hand clenched.

Mr. Churchill then said: "Marshal Stalin, I have the command of His Majesty to present to you for transmission to the City of Stalingrad this sword of honour, of which His Majesty himself has approved the design."

STALIN'S KISS

On either face of the sword is the inscription in Russian and English: "To the steel-hearted citizens of Stalingrad, The gift of King George VI., in token of the homage of the British people."

Stalin replied in a low voice, expressing appreciation of the gift and the pleasure felt by the Russian people of this gesture by the British.

The British lieutenant then stepped forward ten paces, carrying the sword with the point upward. He handed it to Mr. Churchill, who passed it to Marshal Stalin. Stalin drew the blade, touched it with his lips, and then passed it to Voroshilov, a hero of Stalingrad. The Russian lieutenant then took the sword and stood with it at the head of the Russian guard.

The ceremony over, Stalin showed the sword to President Roosevelt, who said: "Stalingrad has truly a heart of steel."—(Reuter.)

German Surrender Inevitable

—ROOSEVELT

President Roosevelt, in a statement to the *Army and Navy Journal's* special "United States at War" issue appearing to-day, says:—

"Indelibly written on the map of destiny are the facts and figures which foreshadow the doom of the evil men who brought the horrors of war upon humanity in pursuance of their design to enslave it.

"Not for a moment do we forget that our enemies continue to possess formidable force, nor that to bring about their destruction there must be no let-up in our effort. But the loss of a partner, their costly retreats everywhere, and their diminishing capacity to make war, make their unconditional surrender inevitable.

"The path to that end will be tortuous and thorny to our feet, but inspiring us will be the humanity of our vision and the invincible spiritual strength of the peoples of the United Nations."—(Reuter.)

Marshall Islands Attacked

The United States Navy Department announced last night that American naval carrier task forces have attacked the Marshall Islands.

The official communiqué stated:—"Strong carrier task forces attacked the Marshall Islands on December 4th. In view of the necessity of radio silence, details are not yet available."—(Reuter.)



5th ARMY FORCES OBTAIN RATIONS FROM THE AIR

ALLIED troops, taking height after height in the grim mountain battle for Mignano Gap, are virtually cut off from supplies, and are now receiving emergency rations by air, Reuter's Special Correspondent cables from Allied Headquarters in North Africa.

Fighting their way up the steep slopes, Fifth Army infantrymen in the past twenty-four hours have captured three valuable heights, and now hold five dominating positions commanding the Liri valley.

The five positions extend along the ridges west of the Mignano Gap. They command the southern margin of the Liri Valley, through which the road and railway run north to Rome across the junction of the Liri and Carigliano.

On one ridge German machine gunners, although completely cut off, are still resisting.

Further east the Germans struck against General Clark's right wing in the mountainous area beyond Venafro, but were thrown back.

In Eastern Italy, where heavy rain is adding to the difficulties of the winter battle, the Germans are making a new stand on the swollen Moro River, and have brought up strong reinforcements. The 8th Army is now only 14 miles from Pescara, this correspondent states

FRISA EVACUATED

Karl Praegner, German News Agency military correspondent, last night stated that Frisa had been evacuated. Both the 8th and 5th Armies, while moving up new reinforcements, are confining themselves to local shock troops' activity, he said.

"German infantry has cleared the area round Mount Camino from those Americans who had infiltrated by a bold action. The whole mountain area is thus in German hands again," he said.

After saying that several British thrusts in the direction of Guardio were smashed, and that east of Orsogna German infantry cleared their outpost zone of remnants of British troops, he added: "German troops abandoned the village of Frisa in favour of improved positions." He stated also that British patrols were north-east of Frisa, but said they were repelled.

Air operations are being severely restricted by the weather, but Invaders and Warhawks, flying through rain and heavy cloud, bombed German positions ahead of the Fifth Army and ranged north into the Rome area to harry German transport.


GENERAL CLARK.

North of Rome, formations of fighter-bombers attacked a German radio station and installations near Orbetello. A floating dock was also left burning.

Other formations concentrated on important road and rail junctions near Formia, and set fire to a petrol dump.

Mitchells attacking Split Harbour, on the Dalmatian coast, scored direct hits on the shipyard and railway yards. Fires and an explosion were seen as the bombers turned for home.

Yesterday's Middle East Air communiqué reported an attack by R.A.F. heavy bombers on the railway station at Salonika on Sunday night, causing fires in the yards. American bombers attacked shipping off Leros during the day. One vessel was left listing and two others were damaged.

Russians Capture Main Junction

A DEEP break-through in the Dnieper bend, in addition to local penetrations, was reported last night by Colonel von Hammer, Military Correspondent of the German News Agency. He stated that German troops in the Dnieper bend had disengaged and withdrawn to main defence lines.

The Soviet communiqué announced the capture of Alexandriya, main rail junction before Znamenka.

The official Russian communiqué stated:—"South-west of Kremenchug our troops overcame enemy resistance and captured Alexandriya and 18 heavily fortified German strongpoints, as well as four railway stations.

"As the result of a swift blow, our troops cut the railway line Smela-Znamenka.

"Strong tank and infantry counter-attacks were repelled in the Chernyakhov area.

"North-west of Gomel offensive operations were continued, several occupied localities being taken."

The German News Agency reported big attacks in the Nevel area, while Reuter's correspondent in Moscow stated that the most notable advance in White Russia was towards Mogilev.

"In the Krivoi Rog area and S.-W. of Kremenchug the Russians, having replenished their formations and brought up new tank forces, tried to penetrate the German defence positions with strong infantry and tank forces, under cover of bad visibility and deep snow drifts," Col. von Hammer stated. "Extremely heavy fighting developed in both sectors. At one point alone the Russians achieved a deep break-through. This was sealed off during the early afternoon. Further local penetrations were cleared in immediate counter-attacks."

German Radio earlier reported that the Russians had broken through south of Cherkassy, but that "the greater part were wiped out and that Russian penetrations S.W. of Kremenchug had, on the whole, been repelled."

Resumed Soviet attacks on the Kerch Peninsula are also reported from Berlin—"Powerful attacks N.E. of Kerch were halted at the approaches to the German lines," yesterday's German High Command communiqué stated.

At the Dnieper mouth the Russians are "mopping up" on the Kindurin spit after smashing the German landing attempt. The bid to gain a foothold on this tongue of land guarding the Dnieper mouth, says Reuter's special correspondent, reflects the growing difficulties of the German Army in the Dnieper estuary, now that the Russians are able to hold up Black Sea shipping to the ports of Nikolayev and Kherson.

Cycle Stealing on The Wane

October, 1941 228
October, 1943 80

This spectacular decrease in the number of bicycles stolen in Dublin was announced by Chief Superintendent P. Sheridan, speaking last night at a meeting of the Insurance Institute on 'Science and Crime." It was due chiefly, he said, to a new pocket size index of stolen bicycles, which enabled a policeman to tell in a few seconds if a particular number were that of a stolen bicycle. By examining bicycles in cycle parks and elsewhere, the police had found a very large number of stolen machines and secured the conviction of many of the thieves.

Wool Prices To Be Fixed

WOOL prices, which at present exceed world wool prices by more than 100 per cent., will be fixed by Government Order, in respect of next year's Irish clip.

Prices will be reduced.

Rush for Home Has Begun

To cater for Irish people coming home for the Christmas holidays the service between Fishguard and Rosslare, suspended for the last eighteen months, has been resumed with a vessel which has a certificate for 1,300 passengers, but will carry only 600, because of lack of life-saving and other necessary accommodation. The London-Waterford service has also been resumed, and the L.M.S. has decided to run extra sailings on the next following three Sundays:—December 12th, 19th and 26th.

The Southern services from Rosslare will be three days per week until the traffic falls off, and bookings on both routes have filled the available accommodation. Special train services will be run from Rosslare to deal with the influx, coal having been made available for this purpose. The rush home has already begun.

Blind Men's March In Dublin

Sixty sightless men, arms linked, four deep, passed along O'Connell street and other thoroughfares in Dublin last night. They carried posters drawing attention to the dispute in the Richmond Institution, O'Connell street.

During the day pickets were on duty at the institution. Meanwhile the thirteen inmates are continuing the sit-in strike.

Compulsory Irish Upheld By Taoiseach

DEFENDING compulsory Irish in the schools, Mr. de Valera, at an Irish revival meeting last night in Cork, said that it would not be necessary if they were able to get everybody to understand and feel about the language as Davis did.

If everybody realised that, stated An Taoiseach, they would protect it with the same care as they would protect their boundaries and territories. Unfortunately, not everybody believed that, and they could not leave the matter to meetings.

It was only right that the State should do for the young people what parents might again neglect. Though parents had the first right, the State also had its duty and right to make it possible for the future citizens to have their language, and this provision should be made even though individual parents might not realise its value.

Mr. de Valera said he would not be opposed to having the matter examined carefully and impartially to see if a better method could be decided on. Some people, however, rightly or wrongly, objected to such an examination, thinking it was the introduction of the thin end of the wedge to get compulsory Irish removed. There was, of course, a difference of opinion between teachers, but first class teachers had told him that it was just as easy to do their work in infants' classes through Irish as English.

Attacks, said An Taoiseach, were being made on the Gaeltacht by newspapers, radio and all modern methods of learning the English language, which was crashing in on the Gael from all sides. The more they opened up communications the more opportunity was given to English to press in. Nothing could be done with those who did not want Irish except to tell them to go to whatever country they wanted to belong to, because, apparently, they wanted to be part of an empire.

Irish was to be revived because it was a distinctive mark of nationality. Some people were really concerned with its historical value, its wealth and its beauty, but it was not to be revived as an ornament. For that reason it was almost impossible to keep politics, in a broad sense, out of the language, because it was a national and political question.

Farm Butter in Black Market

SOME farmers who produce their own butter are drawing rations from shopkeepers and selling the farm butter in the markets at black market prices.

This allegation is being investigated by the Department of Supplies, which will welcome information concerning illegal trading in farmers' butter.

NEW PETROL CONCESSION TO GAS USERS

TO encourage support for the Government's gas producer plant campaign, the Department of Supplies has varied the arrangement under which petrol allowances are given in respect of owners of vehicles which are fitted with gas plants.

Hitherto the normal petrol allowance was reduced by fifty per cent. when the owner fitted a producer plant, but in future this reduction will not be made, and the owner of a gas-driven vehicle will be treated, in all respects, on the same basis as the owner who has not got such equipment. This concession is being extended to clergymen, doctors and veterinary surgeons.

The petrol position still is uncertain, and no information is available concerning the 1944 supply. Road Tax licences for vehicles expire at the end of this month, and, until the tax is paid for the next period, permits for the vehicles cannot be issued. In the present circumstances, the need for prompt attention to Road Tax is emphasised. Petrol for plant and machinery is issued on a quarterly basis, and applications for the first quarter of 1944 are now due.

One of the reasons for the new concession to owners of gas-driven vehicles is that formerly it had been contended that there was little advantage in fitting plant at the cost of a reduction in the petrol allowance, and the new concession should prove valuable for professional men in helping them to overcome present transport difficulties.

The Right Rev. Mgr. Sexton, Dean of Cork, said it was a great pity that Irish had not spread from the schools. Many things had happened to make Dr. Hyde's ideal of Irish revival look like a failure. The introduction of politics to the movement was one of the causes of its eclipse, and politics should be avoided in the movement as they would avoid a plague. The Gaelic League was not the great, noble force which had started Ireland on the road to freedom, Mgr. Sexton stated.

The Rev. W. J. Baker, representing the Right Rev. Dr. Hearn, Bishop of Cork, said the Irish language movement had been smothered by officialdom and red tape. People learned it because they had to pass an exapination, but then they said "good-bye" to it.

The other speakers included Gen. R. Mulcahy, representing Mr. W. T. Cosgrave, T.D., and a member of Ailtiri na hAiseirghe.

Finland Will Not Surrender

Dr. Ryti, President of Finland, said yesterday, the 26th anniversary of Finnish independence, according to the German News Agency:—"We have surmounted all difficulties and perils, and now we are asked to surrender unconditionally. The example of the one conditional surrender we have witnessed offers us little inducement to follow it.

"In the great struggle of the nations only those States can win who do not give up when the going gets hard towards the end. Our fight will show the whole world that the small nations are still the bulwark of freedom and independence."—(Reuter.)

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Happy Landing Sold For 13,500 Guineas

HAPPY LANDING, a bay colt by Windsor Lad—Happy Morn, placed second to Orestes in the T.Y.O. Free Handicap, was purchased on behalf of Mr. W. Hutchinson at the Newmarket Sales yesterday for 13,500 guineas.

The colt was put in at 6,000 gns., and quickly the sale developed into a duel between two women—Mrs. Nagle, who owned Sandsprite, second to Midday Sun in the 1937 Derby, and Miss Westerdick, secretary at the Littleton Stud, owned by Major Gerald Deane, chief partner in the firm of Tattersall's, the auctioneers. Bids rose by 500 gns., and at 13,000 gns. Mrs. Nagle retired.

Major Deane had received a request by telegram to buy Happy Landing for Mr. Hutchinson, who was unable to attend the sale. Mr. Hutchinson, who raced on a large scale before the war, recently bought the Manor Stud at Bishops Sutton, Hampshire, with the intention of breeding and training there. He is head of the well-known firm of book publishers.

Happy Landing will be entered for the 2,000 Guineas, Derby, and St. Leger of next year, and will continue to be trained by H. Jelliss at Newmarket. Sir William Cooke, who bred Happy Landing, said he was sorry to part with his good colt, but thought that he had sold well.

There was also keen bidding for the two-year-old, Woodcot. The Middleham trainer, Fred. Armstrong, tried to buy him but dropped out to leave the issue to Steve Donoghue and Mr. Maurice Ostrer, of the Gaumont British Company. Donoghue, who made the final bid of 4,000 guineas, was acting for Mr. Cyril Wade, a Birmingham man, for whom he will train the colt. Woodcot will be entered in the classic races. The aggregate for the day's sale was 53,650 guineas.

	Gns.
From Bedford House Stables.	
Big Sam, 3 yrs., ch. g. by Prestissimo—Scotia's Glen (Mr. Blunt)	580
Mrs. E. Esmond's	
Failing Scent, 3 yrs., b. f. by Foxhunter—Solace II. (Mr. M. Miller)	530
From Phantom House Stables.	
Birikan, 4 yrs., br c. by Bahram—Carola (Messrs. Mitchell)	810
Major C. Sykes's	
Ch. c. yearling by Panorama—Pussy Willow II. (Mr. G. Armstrong)	1500
Mr. A. E. Saunders's	
Hasty Shot, 4 yrs., br. c. by Bahram — Instantaneous (B.BsA.)	900
Lord Astor's	
Way In, 3 yrs., ch. c. by Fairway—Instantaneous (Mr. C. Nicholson)	5500
Miss Dorothy Paget's	
Newtown Pippin, 2 yrs., ch. c. by Fair Trial—Clarapple (Mr V Tabor)	950
Ch. c., 2 yrs., by Wyndham—Solopal (Mr. J. G. Thompson)	850
From Ellesmere House Stables.	
Woodcot, 2 yrs., br. c. by Bois Roussel—Cradle Song (Mr. S. Donoghue)	4000
From Cadland House Stables.	
Babylon, 3 yrs, b. f. by Bahram—Clairvoyante III. (Capt. E. Williams)	2100
Mr. J. Olding's	
Speeder, 2 yrs., br. c. by Dastur—Lioness (Mr. Bellerby)	510
Sir W. Cooke's	
Happy Landing, 2 yrs., b. c. by Windsor Lad—Happy Morn (Mr. W. Hutchinson)	13500
Mr. T. H. Farr's	
Oast, 2 yrs. b. c. by Easton—Olive Oil (Mr. J. Thompson)	950
From Stork House Stables.	
Advocate, 3 yrs., ch. c. by Fair Trial—Guiding Star (Mr. R. Ostrer)	2500
Mr. M. J. Peacock's	
Royal Glory, 4 yrs., b. g. by Royal Dancer—Skyglory (Mr. J. Waugh)	500
Mrs. I. Fox's	
Solisequior 3 yrs., ch. f. by Solario — Styria (Mr. S Darling)	840
Mr J. Bullock's	
Avec Vous 3 yrs., b. f. by Gold Bridge—What'll You Have (Mr. C. Heckford)	500

ANGLING DISCUSSION ON FRIDAY NIGHT

Dublin anglers are looking forward eagerly to the discussion arranged for 7.45 on Friday night next at Jury's Hotel by the Dublin Trout Anglers' Association. The subject will be the fishing on the Poulaphouca Reservoir and the River Liffey, and the opening speakers will be Mr. Ernest Keegan and Mr. Richard King who have fished these waters extensively. All anglers are invited, and it is hoped to get some expert opinion on the flies to use and the best methods for fishing the waters, which have produced enormous trout in the past season.

TO-DAY'S RUGBY

Dublin University v. An Ulster XV. College Park, 3.30.

Dublin University—A. J. Pt Hetreed; A. H. K. Rutherford, D. O'R. Mayne, J. C. McCaw, W. D. F. Marshall; B. A. Thompson, H. de Lacy; W. J. Moynan (capt.), L. V. Henry, S. Barnes, J. A. Bradfield, S. N. Rutherford, R. G. Harrison, N. R. Hamilton, R. D. Moore.

CONNAUGHT SCHOOLS' XV.

The Connaught Schools' team to meet Leinster Schools at Galway on Thursday is:—D. Burke (Ballinasloe); W. Harty (Ballinasloe), S. Joyce (Ballinasloe), D. Lane (Galway G.S.), T. Moylan (Ballinasloe); P. Duggan and F. Duignan (Ballinasloe); G. Roycroft (Galway G.S.), P. Geoghegan (Ballinasloe), F. Black (Galway G.S.), A. Ryan (Ballinasloe), F. Johnson (Ballinasloe), L. Frazer (Galway G.S.), T. Garvey (Ballinasloe), P. K. Joyce (Ballinasloe) (capt.).

Schools Match. — At Enniskillen. Portora 3, Wesley 3.

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Few Newcomers in Leinster Hockey Trial

By P. D. MacWEENEY.

HOCKEY form being so stabilised over the last four seasons, the Leinster Selectors never have experienced the same difficulty in choosing trial and inter-provincial teams as have the Rugby Five. For the one and only trial game on Saturday week the Whites' or Probables' team cannot have caused much difficulty. Nine of the men figured on nearly all the Leinster teams of last season, and there can be little question as to their right to honours again in this campaign. Parkinson, Stevenson and W. Lindsay are all playing as well as ever in defence. At half-back, Lonergan, Sanderson and Fleming all have been at the top of their form for their clubs; Leopold has been as quietly effective as usual on the right wing for Railway Union, and, with J. V. Luce proving a big success at centre forward for Three Rock Rovers, he and T. N. Strong were obvious choices as a pair. The only newcomers are the Y.M.C.A. left wing combination of C. Strong and J. Hussey, who have earned their right to a trial. Strong joined Y.M.C.A. late last season, and has been steadily improving since; Hussey, like J. V. Luce, has changed his position this season with success, moving from centre forward to outside left.

NEW GOALKEEPER.

The Possibles have a new goalkeeper in J. W. Brown, of Dalkey, a more orthodox player than Parkinson, and extremely promising. G. K. Donald, one of the three pre-war internationals still playing in Dublin hockey — Sanderson and Lindsay are the other two—is in good form at the moment, and his partner at full-back, B. Murphy, of Portrane, did well in last year's trial. R. Pilkington and R. F. Browne may have lost some pace at half-back, but otherwise their play has not deteriorated to any extent over the last six or seven years. G. Boate, of Y.M.C.A., is, however, a shade fortunate to receive preference over A. King, of Corinthians, at left half.

Trinity's unexpected revival in their Cup-tie against Pembroke Wanderers on Saturday brought D. McGilligan back into the running at centre forward, and also brought the claims of O. Lush before the eyes of the Selectors. Lush has only just resumed playing since last season, and, on Saturday's form, knows how to distribute the ball as well as shoot from the edge of the circle. I doubt if D. Wheeler is as forceful an outside left as P. Webster, of Pembroke Wandeders, and, while B. Huet is a clever centre forward, it is doubtful wisdom to experiment with him as an outside right, where he may lack speed. P. Neville, on his play at inside right for Portrane, would be unlucky to be passed over, but I trust the Selectors will not lose sight of Ralph Walker, of Y.M.C.A., to my mind, one of the very few really promising young forwards produced in Dublin hockey during the war years. We should see a good trial, but I do not anticipate many changes from the Whites' team when the Selectors get together subsequently to pick the Leinster XI.

Last week I endeavoured to make the senior Cup draw clear by working it out on league form, but Trinity caused the first upset by disposing of Pembroke Wanderers, who had beaten them 5-nil in the league only a little over a month ago. The University now have a real chance of winning the trophy for the third year in succession. They should beat St. James's Gate at Londonbridge road in the next round, and thus qualify to meet either Three Rock Rovers or Railway Union in the Leinster semi-final. They have already drawn with both these teams, and have made a definite advance since then.

SENIOR LEAGUE TABLE.

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Three Rock R.	9	7	0	2	24	10	16
Y.M.C.A.	8	6	2	0	23	10	12
Pembroke W.	8	5	2	1	17	10	11
Portrane	9	5	4	0	19	18	10
Railway Union	9	4	3	2	18	19	10
St. James's G.	8	3	3	2	18	17	8
Corinthians	8	4	4	0	12	12	8
Dublin Univer.	7	1	4	2	8	16	4
Dalkey	9	1	7	1	10	21	3
Avoca School	9	0	7	2	12	27	2

GOLF CLUB NOTICES

Grange.—9-hole foursome—P. J. Byrne (13) and J. S. McQuaid (14), 33½; A. A. McLennan (11) and G. A. McLennan (11), 33½; F. Cullen (8) and J. Hanlon (3), 34½. Saturday next—Medal, bogey. Class 1 and 3 inner nine, Class 2 outer nine.

Woodbrook. — Christmas hamper—V. Cosgrave (12) and Colonel F. J. Henry (13), 5 up (winners); S. W. Davin (9) and S. W. Whyte (17), 5 up.

Killiney. — Ladies—Friday — Medal, 9 holes, strokes; arrange opponents. Sweep —I.—Mrs. Ross Todd (9), 42; II.—Miss Ashlin (9½), 42½.

Elm Park.—Turkey (Sunday)—N. V. Hogan and C. Kelly won on first 9.

Union of Irish Schools.—At the annual meeting a discussion took place on the advisability of extending the scope of the union beyond golf, but it was decided that the present time was not the most opportune.

Donabate.—Ladies—The first annual captain's dinner was held in Jury's Hotel. Toasts of "Eire," "The Captain" (Mrs. O'Colman) and "Our Guests" were honoured. A musical entertainment was enjoyed by the large gathering of members and their friends.

GOLF TEAMS

The teams for the Combined Universities' v. Professionals' 36-holes match at Royal Dublin to-morrow are:—

Universities—J. D. Lyons, I. Keltie, D. O'Connor, B. F. Smyth, K. Mullin, D. Herlihy, D. Lynch, another.

Professionals — P. J. Mahon, P. O'Connor, A. Whiston, W. Kinsella, K. O'Connor, P. Gunning, N. Wilson, J. Quinn.

Belfast and District Coursing

FOR the revival of the Belfast and District Club's meeting at Mallusk, Glengormley, on to-morrow and Thursday, there is the fine entry of 96, including 48 puppies, 32 of which are in the McAlevey Gold Cup. Altogether there are nine stakes, the subsidiary events being for dogs beaten in the Gold Cup and the Antrim Stakes. There will be a call-over to-night in the National Club, Belfast, at 7 o'clock. First brace in slips to-morrow at 1 o'clock, and on Thursday at 12 o'clock.

McALEVEY GOLD CUP (for 32 puppies). Winner £100 and Cup, second £40, two £15, four £5 5/-.—Lone Ranch v. Topic of the Town; General Casey v. Keen Punter; Sprucefield Rambler v. Twenty Bob; Chosen Link v. Tontonvilla Square; Venetian's Choice v. Merchant Lawn; Inler's Ivon v. Bella's Destiny; Bright Barry v. Braemar Mon; Howard's Castle v. Weymount; Brilliant Shamrock v. Magu; Poker Boy v. Drumcree; Jifford Border v. Bryn Lee; Rust's Light v. Come Away Farloe; Beam Bold v. Border Elegance; Sprucefield Ranger v. Whittaker; Hatton Black v. Oscillation; Inler's Ivy v. Who Said That.

ANTRIM STAKES and LYNCH CUP (for 32 all ages)—Irish Blend v. Wireless Record; Bleakhouse Champion v. Rhen's Big Boy; Elusive Debtor v. Tinker's Luck; Willie Winkie v. Bright Bolero; Abbey Height v. Carrick Leader; Heidine Company v. Stolen Eden; Local Heather v. Lucky Gael; Vahan v. Marvellous Down; Thompson's Best v. Roe Yankee; Roe Playgirl v. Twinkle; Fortwilliam Spitfire v. Flying Girlie; To Be Noted v. Be Brave; Swanvale v. Texas Girl; Jessie v. Tixie Dear; Pet's Farloe v. Tamladuff; Doubtful Della v. Sweet Memories.

BELFAST STAKES (for 16 all-ages)—Ovorty Mon v. Carrigeenadon; Innis Gallen v. No Nothing; Claragh Dandy v. Blue Heights; Late Side Tramp v. Glass Collector; British Tryer v. Border Smasher; Border Spitfire v. Wedding Eve; Joyous Empress v. Judy From Whiterock; Stella Spice v. Lady Manly.

PUPPY STAKES (8 dogs)—Derryhealy Rover v. Roseneath Flashlight; Lucky Fool v. Bouncing Champion; Long Longstone v. Creamery Slasher; Public Idol v. Manhattan Moonlight.

PUPPY STAKES (8 bitches)—Long Silver v. Widest Wave; Clonrage Bell v. Ballinalough Mantle; Litto Just v. Woodvale Emly; Meta v. Come Away Olive.

First day—Twice down card and once through Massereene and Newtownards Stakes.

EAST OF IRELAND TABLE TENNIS

The East of Ireland table tennis tournament opened at Norwood L.T.C. last night, when a large number of matches in the men's singles was decided. Results:—

Men's Singles.—First Round—C. R. Stack beat W. Row, 21-16, 21-13; D. Hill beat P. Prestage, 21-10, 21-18; E. Keartland w.o., D. Cunningham scr.; J. K. Smyth beat M. Martin, 21-13, 21-17; J. Dunne beat W. Campbell, 21-13, 23-21; F. Walsh beat E. Davis, 21-18, 21-13; G. F. Heron beat J. Kennedy, 21-18, 18-21, 21-17; T. J. Ryan beat P. Whyte, 21-17, 21-16; E. Sterne beat T. Keogh, 21-12, 21-17; M. Heron beat M. Sheehan, 21-9, 21-15; W. M. Reid beat F. Farrell, 21-15, 21-15; L. Maher beat G. S. Row, 20-22, 21-18, 21-8; S. Duignan beat G. Halpin, 21-12, 21-19; A. Hutchinson beat T. Moorehead, 21-23, 21-12, 21-19; B. P. Doherty beat L. Hutchinson, 21-13, 21-15; C. Colter beat J. Bourke, 21-6, 21-10; B. Hood beat W. G. Leach, 21-12, 21-15; W. H. Mundy beat S. F. Egan, 21-16, 21-16; R. Thornton beat H. Hayes, 21-18, 21-18; C. Deane beat O. Grace, 21-17, 21-17; H. Gaw beat A. O'Keeffe, 21-17, 21-16.

Second Round—H. Morris beat C. Stack, 21-17, 22-20; D. Hill beat E. Keartland, 21-19, 21-14; B. Huet beat E. Seymour, 21-9, 21-15; L. P. Maher beat W. M. Read, 21-14, 26-24.

The seeded players are—H. Thuillier, H. Morris, J. Hanrahan, B. Huet, C. J. Hussey, H. S. Carlile, C. A. Kemp and D. Hill.

SCHOOLS' BOXING

At Portora Royal School, Portora defeated the High School, Dublin, by six contests to five. Results (High School boys first):—(5st) H. Goulding beat C. R. Ervine; (6st.) D. Couse beat J. H. Alston; (6st. 7lb.) J. R. Watchorn beat R. E. Hart; (7st.) P. H. Stewart beat T. E. Charlton; J. Perdue lost to J. B. Quigg; mosquito-weight, T. H. Spence lost to W. A. Clingen; fly-weight, R. H. Kyle lost to R. I. Clingen; bantam-weight, J. R. Lindsay beat J. Douglas (retired); G. D. Dawson lost to J. B. Larmor; feather-weight, D. Waugh lost to H. R. B. Jack; light-weight, E. D. A. Simms (capt.) lost to J. B. Stevenson (capt.).

DULEEK DECIDERS

COMMON STAKE (8 dog puppies)—Mr. J. McManus's Baile an Muileann beat Mr. J. Cantwell's Killaddie.

STATION STAKE (5 bitch puppies)—Mr. A. H. Cartwright's Black Mercury beat Mr. C. P. Burke's Field Puppy.

DULEEK STAKE (4 all-ages)—Mrs. M. Powderley's Buzz On Peg and Mr J. Lynskey's Kilbannon divided.

CORBALLIS STAKE (8 two-course)—Miss B. Lyons's Green Spitfire, Miss B. Kelly's Slanemore Miss, and Mr. J. Owens's Jubileen divided.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS.

To-day—Queen's County, Peafield, 11.30 a.m.; Ward Union, 10 Mile Bush, 1.30 p.m.; North Kilkenny, Knockmannon, 11.30 a.m. (old time); Ballymacad, Crossakeel, 12 noon; South Westmeath, Drumraney P.O., 12 noon; Co. Longford, Ardagh, 1.0 p.m.; Carlow, Killenure, 11.30 a.m.; Fingal, VIIth Milestone, 1.0 p.m.; Waterford, Durrow Forge, 11.30 a.m.; Newry, Ringolish, 12.30 p.m.; Scarteen, Elton, 12 noon; Kildare, Blackchurch, 11.30 a.m.; South Union, Ballygarvan, 11.30 a.m.; United Hunt Club Whitechurch, 11.30 a.m.

To-morrow—Duhallow, Scarva School (Glantane), 11.0 a.m.; Bray, Sandyford, 1.30 p.m.; Strabane, Ardstraw, 1.0 p.m.; Island, Ferns, 12.30 p.m.; Nenagh, The Lodge, 12 noon; Wicklow, Hollyfort, 12 noon; Naas, Two-Mile-House Chapel, 1.0 p.m.; Mid-Antrim, Ballylummin, 12.30 p.m.; Wexford, St. Leonard's, 1.0 p.m.; Bree, Ballymackessy Bridge, 1.0 p.m.

City Theatres

Royal.—Back to the "straight" show again in the second edition of "Passing Parade," the feature of the programme last night was the colourful dancing of the Royal team in a Dutch ensemble, and a pot-pourri of folk dances. Both were prettily and effectively performed. The balance of the show leans towards comedy, in which Cecil Sheridan was easily outstanding for his song parodies. Harry Bailey, Pauline Forbes, Al Sharp and Paddy Tyrrell had their share of a smart programme before Jimmy Campbell and the orchestra revived memories of the Palladium in the days of the Pounds Sisters.

The film is an Orsen Welles "Journey into Fear."

Olympia. — Frank O'Donovan's third revue, "Flying Colours," is up to the standard of its predecessors. Frank O'Donovan and Peggy Dell are the "stars," and in four of the sketches Frank appears with Kitty McMahon and the company. Brian O'Hara and Sheila Griffin are popular singers, and Vi Hindle's Violettes take part in a number of items. Wee Willie Winkle is able to produce harmony from rather unusual "instruments" and Ben Bono is an entertaining ventriloquist. The "Truth or Consequences" quiz provides great fun.

Queen's. — A new company appeared in a revue, "Radio Parade," last night. May Royal, comedienne, became immediately popular. With Jimmy Harvey she got the right atmosphere for her gags. Ivy Helder was a pleasing singer, and Ramon and Ramona contributed a meritorious musical act. Other artists and a company of girls, with band presentations and Local Talent on Parade, made up a satisfying bill. The picture was "Secret Motive."

Capitol.—Tuneful singing of popular numbers, recalling memories of the past, skilful dancing and good comedy, together with the arresting film in technicolour, "My Friend Flicka," all were greatly relished by Capitol audiences last night.

Abbey.—The revival of George Shiels's comedy of match-making, "Paul Twyning," has been retained for a further week at the Abbey Theatre. In the title rôle F. J. McCormick is seen in one of his most popular characterisations, and others taking part are M. J. Dolan, Eric Gorman, Eileen Crowe, Fred Johnson, May Craig and Denis O'Dea.

Gate.—With Liam Gaffney in the title rôle, John Drinkwater's famous play, "Abraham Lincoln," has entered upon the second week at the Gate Theatre. This, the first production by Hilton Edwards and Micheal MacLiammoir on their return to this theatre, has proved a great success, and the supporting parts are well handled.

Better Lighting in Dun Laoghaire

Public lighting in Dun Laoghaire has been augmented following representations from the public. Mr. T. C. O'Mahony, Assistant City and County Manager, announced this at last night's meeting of the Dun Laoghaire Borough Corporation after Mr. H. P. Dockrell had appealed for better lighting in the borough and recalled that four assaults had taken place in Glenageary recently.

Mr. W. Rollins suggested that those found guilty of the assaults should be flogged.

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Inquest on Dublin Professor

At an inquest on the body of Professor C. H. Rowe, F.T.C.D., Junior Dean of Trinity College, who was found dead in his rooms in College on Saturday morning, a verdict of death from coal-gas poisoning while of unsound mind was returned yesterday.

It was said in evidence that Professor Rowe had been much affected by the death of his mother, which took place not long ago. He suffered from overwork as a result of his many and varied duties, and the added responsibility consequent upon his appointment as Junior Dean weighed on his mind.

A short Service was conducted last night in the College Chapel by the Rev. R. R. Hartford. The coffin was carried to the Chapel by Scholars of the House at 9 p.m.—the hour of the Junior Dean's nightly roll-call—preceded by the night-roll porter with his lantern. Many members of the staff and students attended.

The funeral will take place to-day after a Service in the College Chapel.

Victuallers Would Be in Charge

The Dublin Master Victuallers' Association have been refused the right to be the sole organisers for their trade in the Dublin district. The Department of Industry and Commerce maintained that the granting of this right would bring not only butchers, but also hotel and restaurant keepers, grocers, and all who sold food, under their jurisdiction. This was stated by Mr. M. P. Moore, Chairman of the Association, at the annual dinner held last night at the Royal Hibernian Hotel.

They had been the first body, he said, to be granted a negotiating licence under the Trade Union Act, and when, under Part II. of that Act, they applied for the sole right to organise their trade they were on strange ground. They now saw the pitfalls in that section of the Act, and were determined to avoid them in their next application, which, he hoped, would enable them to attain their objective.

Pope Receives Cardinals

Speaking to Cardinals, according to a German Overseas News Agency cable last night, the Pope said: The Catholic Church stands indestructible amid destruction and broken nations and Empires.—(Reuter.)

LEGAL DIARY

LAW NOTICES—Tuesday, December 7th.

THE SUPREME COURT.—11. Appeal—In re Gay Kindersley, an infant (at hearing).

THE HIGH COURT.—In Court 5 Mr. Justice Overend. 11—Von Shauenburg v. Livingston. Non-Jury Actions. In Court 1. The President. 11—McLoughlin v. G.S. Rlys. (at hearing); Deighan v. G.S. Rlys. (at hearing); Stanley v. Ray. In Court 2. Mr. Justice Maguire 11—Munster and Leinster Bank v. McDonnell (at hearing).

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.—Green street Courthouse, Dublin. 11—Jurors Nos. 151 to 210 must attend. Jurors Nos. 1 to 150 need not attend until Wednesday, the 15th instant.

CIRCUIT COURT OF JUSTICE.—Before Judge Davitt. At the Law Courts, Chancery place. Not before 1.45 p.m. Ejectments. Appeal from District Court—Minister for Finance v. Larkin. Applications under Increase of Rent Acts. Before Judge Shannon. At the Law Courts, Chancery place. 11. Motion—Siemens Electric Lamps v. O'Reilly. Civil Actions.

Less Lining for Tailors

The amount of lining available to tailors in the coming year will be only fifty per cent. of what it was last year. Mr. J. Siberry told the Wages Advisory Tribunal this yesterday, when an application for a bonus of 7/- for handicraft tailors and women machinists was being considered.

Huge Capital Appreciation

THE lucky man who bought any of the Great Southern Railways stocks at or near this year's low levels would make a huge profit if he sold out to-day, but it is doubtful if he would sell. Now that the Government has approved of the capital reconstruction scheme, potential investors are taking a more hopeful view of the position. The inquiry which is about to be made into dealings during the past year is not causing anxiety in market circles. Whatever the outcome, it is not expected to have any material effect on prices. At the moment people are more concerned with the three years' arrears of dividend due on the Guaranteed stock. Recent buying suggests that holders will be favourably treated.

The Debenture is advancing slowly, but surely; for it is recognised that a three per cent. stock with a Government guarantee is worth around 90. Some say it will go to 95, but that remains to be seen.

There is less optimism concerning the junior issues, but there is no reason why the Ord. and Pref. should be separated by nearly three points. Both are to be converted into Common stock on a £ for £ basis, so prices should be more in line. Those buying either of them now are evidently looking some way ahead.

The following table shows how prices have risen from their lowest levels this year.

	Lowest in 1943.	Present Price.	Rise.
Ord.	9¼	26¼	+17¼
Pref.	11	29¼	+18¼
Guar.	26¼	60	+33¾
Deb.	51⅛	87 11/16	+36 9/16

Kindersley Case Appeal

THE hearing of Lady Oranmore and Browne's appeal in connection with the custody of Gay Kindersley, the fourteen-year-old son of her former marriage with the Hon. Philip Kindersley, Rutland Gate, London, now a prisoner of war in Italy, was opened before the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Murnaghan; Mr. Justice O'Byrne and Mr. Justice Black, in the Supreme Court, Dublin, yesterday, and adjourned until to-day. The appeal was from an order of the High Court, directing her to produce the boy, to be given to his grandfather, Lord Kindersley, or his nominee, to be taken to England, to have him educated at Eton College, in accordance with the wishes of his father.

Lady Oranmore and Browne was opposed to the boy's going to England while the war lasted.

The chief grounds of the appeal were that there had been no proper applicant for the order before the High Court; that the application had not been instituted or approved by the boy's father, and that the High Court should have held that the risks to life and safety in England were seriously greater than in Ireland, and should not have ordered that the boy should be sent to England.

Mr. Cecil Lavery, S.C., for Lady Oranmore and Browne, said that there never had been any attack on her in regard to the care of the boy, and the real nature of the application to the High Court had been to take him from her. Her attitude was that the boy had a home with her, and that he should continue to have a home with her. It was not unreasonable for a mother to prefer to have her son in a neutral country rather than in a country at war.

There was no indication that the education that he would get at Eton in any way would be superior to the education that he now was receiving at St. Columba's College. There was no reason to suppose that his future career would lie in England rather than in Ireland, where he was entitled to a reversion of very substantial property. His financial prospects depended entirely on his mother's side of the family, and there was no reversion of property to be derived from his father's side.

Lady Oranmore and Browne's attitude was that it was to her boy's best interest that he should be kept in Ireland. Here he had a happy home and was with his mother; to take him from her and send him to where he would be without father and mother would not be to his interest.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Ballybrack Publican Fined. — At Shankill yesterday, Hugh McKeever, licensee, The Igo Inn, Ballybrack, was fined £5 for a breach of the licensing laws.

Dublin Doctor's Appointment. — Dr. Mary E. Mollette, 38 Seafield road, Clontarf, Dublin, has been appointed temporary M.O. of Duleek Dispensary, pending a permanent appointment.

Hyde Road, Dalkey. — The Dun Laoghaire Borough Corporation last night passed unanimously a motion that the new roadway between Barnhill road and Castlepark road, Dalkey, be known as Hyde road as a mark of respect to the President.

Man Collapses in Dublin.—After collapsing near the North Wall Extension Gates yesterday, Robert Reilly, South Dock place, Dublin, was found to be dead on admission to hospital.

Theft from Huts.—At Shankill yesterday, Mrs. Christina Sheehan, New Cottages, Shankill, was sentenced to two months' imprisonment for receiving property, valued £7, which had been stolen from huts by two youths in Shankill. The youths were committed to an industrial school.

In Gas-Filled Room.—Mr. C. P. FitzGerald, organist, and a prominent figure in the musical life of Dublin, was brought to the Meath Hospital yesterday afternoon, suffering from gas poisoning. He had been found lying unconscious in bed in a gas-filled room at his residence, 24 Grosvenor place.

Culwick Concert.—A concert by the Culwick Choral Society (conductor, J. Turner Huggard) will be held in the Metropolitan Hall, Dublin, on Thursday next. The choir will sing "Paudrig Crohoore" (Stanford), and songs by Rowland, Weekes, Dent, etc. Pianoforte solos will be played by Claude Biggs.

Sterilising Water Supplies.—Chlorination as a means of sterilisation of water was advocated by Mr. T. B. Byrne, B.A., B.A.I., at last night's meeting of the Institution of Civil Engineers of Ireland, when he read a paper entitled "The Purification of Water by Sterilisation." The President, Mr. T. C. Courtney, M.E., was in the chair.

Prohibited Goods Fines.—R. E. Wynne, Murphy Radio, Ltd., Corn Exchange Buildings, Burgh quay, Dublin, was fined £8 at Enniskillen yesterday for dealing in prohibited goods (four cycle tyres and two tubes) while Hugh Peter McGivern, Cornmaclin, Glangelvin, Co. Cavan was fined £5 for being concerned in carrying prohibited goods.

Sergeant to Appeal.—Notice of appeal has been lodged against the conviction and sentence, imposed at Dundrum Court, on Sergeant D. McKenna, a member of the Defence Forces, charged with the larceny of turf and sacks from Glassamucky bog, near Tallaght. The sentence imposed was one of one month's imprisonment on each of three charges, the sentences to run consecutively.

Play at St. Mary's College.—An enjoyable performance of Aodh de Blacam's "Golden Priest" was given by students of St. Mary's College (C.S.Sp.) before a large audience at the College, Rathmines, Dublin, last night. Production was by the Rev. P. Murray, C.S.Sp., assisted by the Rev. Ml. Kennedy, C.S.Sp., and the principal parts were filled by Michael MacCormac, Seamus Cronin, William Reynolds, Manus Noonan and Enda McGarry.

Steamer Refloated.—Twelve hours after she had grounded on a sandbank at the entrance to the E.S.B.'s Pigeon House wharf, Dublin, yesterday, Messrs. Thomas Heiton's 287-ton steamer, s.s. St. Kenneth, made harbour under her own steam, only very slightly damaged. The accident took place at about 7.20 a.m., just before high water, and at high tide last night her crew ran a hawser ashore and warped her off the bank.

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Strong Buying Sends G.S.R. Stocks Ahead

THE news that the Government had agreed to the Great Southern Railway capital re-organisation scheme caused chief public interest to be directed to these issues when the Dublin Stock Exchange opened yesterday morning. There was strong buying in evidence, and a large turnover took place in the stocks.

The Debenture took pride of place, and closed 2 11/16 points higher at 87 11/16. The Ordinary advanced to 26¼, while the Preference soared 2¼ points to 29¼, and the Guar. 1¾ points to 60.

Gt. Northern Ord. tended higher to 21½, but the Guar. shaded off to 60.

Irish securities, for the most part, held up well. Home Government Funds were well maintained, and 4 p.c. Conversion Loan gained 15s. at 109¾, while 4½ p.c. New Land Bonds rose to 113.

3½ p.c. War Loan declined to 103 3/16, and Dublin 3½ p.c. 1963/83 repeated 101. Banks were busy. Munsters and Leinsters advanced 1s. 3d. to 127s. 3d., and Royals hardened to 13¼. Nationals eased the turn, but other issues showed no change.

Small late selling pressure put Guinness units back to 122s. 6d. Alliance Gas Ord. met with fresh liquidation and gave way to 20s. 10½d.

Todd Burns Ord. gained 1s. at 15s., and Burke Ord. firmed up to 4s. 6d. Irish Cinema Pref. rose to 19s. 10½d. and Irish Dunlop Pref to 28s.

British Industrials were easier inclined. B.A.T. Ord. quoted 103s. 6d., and Imperial Tobacco Ord. 152s. 6d. Coats Ord hardened to 45s. 7½d., but Imperial Chemical Ord. eased to 38s. 4½d.

Industrial Credit Profits Higher

Much improved results are announced by the Industrial Credit Company, Ltd., for the year ended October 31st last.

Gross profit amounted to £57,184 against £40,090, and, after deducting expenses, including directors' fees, there is a net profit of £49,592—an increase of £17,733 on the previous twelve months. Taxation absorbs nearly £10,000 more at £21,311.

It is proposed to pay a dividend of 2½ per cent., less tax, and to transfer £15,000 to investment and other reserves (against £7,500). The carry forward is up from £2,209 to £2,795.

The meeting will be held at 9 Leinster street, Dublin, on Tuesday, December 14th, at 2.30 p.m.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

(*) Odd lot. (a) Asked. (b) Bid. (Previous prices in parentheses.)

GOVERNMENT FUNDS — 5 p.c. Second National Loan (113¾), *113¾; 4 p.c. Conversion Loan (109), 109¾; 4 p.c. Exchequer Bonds (110), 110; 3¼ p.c. National Security (105¾), 105¾; 4½ p.c. Land Bonds (under £200) (116½), 116½; do New (112 19/32), *113; do. (under £200) (113), 112¾; 3½ p.c. War Loan (103 11/16), 103 3/16; do. (under £200) (103½), *103 3/16; do. Bank of England, 103 7/16.

CORPORATION STOCKS — Dublin 3¼ p.c. 1963/'83 (101), 101; Limerick 3½ p.c., 99.

BANKS—Bank of Ireland (351), 351; Munster and Leinster (126/-), 127/3; National (49/9), 49/9, 9/7½; Northern "A," 89/-; Provincial Old (48/-), 48/-, *7/6, 8/-; Royal (13), *13⅛.

BREWERIES—Guinness Ord. (123/3), 123/3, *2/6.

RAILS, ETC.—Great Northern Ord. (21), 21½; do. Gtd. (60¼), 60; Great Southern Ord. (26), 26½; do. Pref. (27), 28½, 9½, 9, 9¼; do. Gtd. (58¼), 60, 60, 60, 60; do. Deb. (85⅛), 86, 6½, 7, 7¼, 7¼, 7, 7, 7⅛, 78, 8, 7⅞, 7⅞, 7 15/16; Dublin Transport Ord. (25/-), *25/-, *5/-.

IRISH INDUSTRIALS—Alliance Gas Ord. (21/3), 21/-, 20/10½; Burke (E. and J.) Ord. (4/3), *4/6; do. Def. (3/3), 3/3¼; do. Pref. (8/6), *8/6; Cement Ord. (43/-), *43/-; Crean (J.) Pref. (20/6), *20/6; Irish Cinema Pref. (19/9), 20/-, 19/10½; Irish Dunlop Pref. (28/-), 28/-; Ranks Ord. (14/-), *14/-; Stephen's Green Cinema Pref. (18/-), *18/-; Todd Burns Ord. (14/-), 15/-.

BRITISH INDUSTRIALS — B.A.T. 103/9; Calico Printers, 15/10½; Coats (J. and P.) (45/6), 45/7½; Electrical and Musical 28/-; Ford Motors, 34/-; Imperial Chemical (38/6), *38/4½; Imperial Tobacco, 152/6.

WALL STREET

NEW YORK, Monday.—The Stock Exchange opened steady, but quiet. Those issues classed as war stocks advanced briskly in the afternoon with most reaching their best levels prior to the official communiqué of the "Big Three" meeting. Aircrafts, Steels, Rubbers, Motors and Assorted Rails stiffened, but the advances ranging to one point were trimmed by profit-taking near the close, which was irregular.

COMPANY NEWS

Bentley's Yorkshire Breweries.—Net profit £241,164 (against £189,501). Final dividend of 7½ p.c. and a bonus of 5 p.c., making 17½ p.c. (against 15 p.c.).

Barnsley Brewery.—Final 15 p.c., making 20 p.c. (against 17½ p.c.).

FOOD MARKETS

DUBLIN FISH.—No fish on offer.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Kerr's Pinks, Dates and Spry's Abundance 10/-, and Banners 9/- per cwt ex store.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE.—Savoy cabbage 10/- small load, mangolds 2/- to 2/6 per cwt., and sprouts 1/6 to 2/- chip.

Travel Permits For Children

From to-day the exemption of children under sixteen from the prevailing restrictions on travel from Ireland to Great Britain will no longer apply, and all persons whatsoever, irrespective of age, entering Great Britain from Ireland, must have a separate passport or travel permit card bearing a British visa. Children under the age of twelve, however, need not have a separate passport or travel permit card if they are accompanied by a parent or other responsible person and their particulars are entered on the passport or travel permit card and also on the British visa granted to such parent or other responsible person.

Parents or other responsible persons accompanying children under twelve should, when applying for a British visa, make application also for the entry of the particulars of such children on the visa.

Children under sixteen resident in Great Britain, who are returning there after a visit to Ireland of not more than two months, are exempted from these restrictions. Children belonging to this category leaving Great Britain on or after to-day will receive, on embarkation, a document which will facilitate their identification on their return journey within the said period of two months.

Applications for British visas are made to the U.K. Permit Office, 30 Merrion sq., Dublin. Applicants living in the Dublin metropolitan area should make personal application, but applicants living outside that area may make application by post on application forms obtainable at local Garda stations.

Phosphates Arrive

The first cargo of American phosphates—at least two months' supply—has arrived, and factories will start the production of fertilisers shortly.

This news was given to the Wages Advisory Tribunal yesterday by Mr. J. W. Parkes, who was opposing an application by workers in the fertiliser manufacturing industry for a 2/- a week bonus for male workers, and a 1/- a week bonus for women and juvenile workers. "Prospects of getting further stocks are reasonably good," he said.

The Tribunal will report its finding to the Minister.

Oil Drums Conversion Charge

Further evidence was taken in the Dublin District Court yesterday in the case in which Paul Vincent Murtagh, Adare, Whitehall road, Rathfarnham, is charged with fraudulent conversion of two sums of money—£375 and £500—entrusted to him by Messrs. Brownlee Brothers, Middle Abbey street, for the purchase of empty oil drums and other goods.

Bandon Bank Action

The hearing of the action of the Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., claiming £8,371 against William K. McDonnell, South Main street, Bandon, alleged to be due on his accounts with them and of Mr. McDonnell's counter-claim for £50,000 damages for alleged wrongful dealing with his accounts was continued and further adjourned. Both parties deny the other's allegations.

Dublin Firm's Bill for Toys

The President of the High Court, Dublin, yesterday, gave judgment for £769 and costs, in favour of Robert A. Munro and Company, Ltd., Grafton street, Dublin, in their action against Clery and Company, Ltd., Lower O'Connell street, Dublin, claiming £791 for toys, which they said they sold to Messrs. Clery last November, and for freight and other charges on the consignment.

Taxation Takes 75 p.c. of Profit

Trading profits of Ind Coope and Allsopp, Ltd., in the year to September 30, after providing £166,000 for Deferred repairs, was £2,017,504 (against £1,662,368). Here is another instance of profitable working by brewery companies at present. Taxation, however, proves to be heavy. The company provides £1,518,806 for taxation, compared with £1,150,745 in the previous year. As a result the net profit of £410,295 is down on the year by some £24,000. Final Ordinary dividend is 15½ p.c., to make 22½ p.c. for the fourth successive year. There is a transfer of £2,654 to public-house improvements reserve, bringing that fund to £250,000, while war contingencies reserve receives £80,578. The carry-forward is slightly higher at £476,749.

The Chairman, in a statement issued with the report, states that the barley crop is heavy, but threshing has been interrupted and delivery irregular. He states that a new danger has arisen from the increasing use of combine harvesters, which necessitates partial drying of the grain on the farm. Unless the temperatures are very carefully regulated the grain may not germinate, and become useless for malting purposes. The chairman is of the opinion that barley growers should hesitate to use combine harvesters for good quality barley. The £1 Ordinary are now 99s. each.

TURNER AND NEWALL

Some interest attaches to the final dividend due this week of Turner and Newall, Ltd., the parent company of the world-wide asbestos combine. The company has an issued capital of £6,776,612, of which £5,332,343 is in Ord. shares. In 1937 and 1938 dividends on the Ord. capital reached a peak with payments of 20 p.c. This was followed by two years at 15 p.c. and then two years at 12½ p.c. In the past six years gross profits have risen considerably, but taxation has also increased. The usual interim dividend of 3¾ p.c. paid in June last year was followed by a final of 8¾ p.c.

Speculative possibilities exist in the 5/- Prefd. Ord. shares of Airspeed, Ltd., now obtainable at about 4/4½, on which it is announced a dividend of 6 p.c. is to be paid. In addition to this payment, a similar dividend is to be paid on the Ord. shares, this being the first they have received. The company manufactures aircraft and aircraft components, and is controlled by the De Havilland Aircraft Co., which holds all the Ord. shares.

The 5/- Preferred Ordinary, in addition to their fixed non-cumulative dividend of 6 p.c., are entitled to 75 p.c. of the surplus profits after the Ord. have received 6 p.c. Up to now the return has been limited to the 6 p.c., although profits in each of the past four years have been more than sufficient to pay the Ord. dividend. Instead, the surplus profits have been used for writing down goodwill, which, in the last balance sheet, stood at only £11,442. With the payment of the Ord. dividend the way is open for the Pref. Ord. to receive some benefit from their participation rights.

DIAMONDS WEAK

The increase in Carreras dividend and the good results announced by the company had a stimulating effect on Tobaccos on London Stock Exchange yesterday. Carreras "A" gained ⅛ at 6¾ and the "B" 3d. at 17/1½. Imperials hardened 7½d. to 7 15/32 after 7⅝. There were buyers in the market for Breweries and Guinness were an exception to the general rule with a fall of 1/6 to 122/-. Bass rose 1/- to 164/-, Distillers 1/- to 89/-, and Watney 3d. to 78/6.

In other directions De La Rue were firmer at 7 15/16 x.d. Aerated Bread at 36/3 x.d. recovered the dividend. Crittals were marked up following the full report. Hudson's Bay fell 9d. to 50/3 and International Nickel rose ⅛ to 38¾.

Diamond shares were weak on dividend fears. De Beers fell ¾ to 17¾, but put in a good rally before the close to finish ½ down at 18. Consolidated of S.W. Africa were 1/3 off at 38/9* after 38/1½, and Anglo-Trusts lost 1/3 at 56/3. Kaffirs were lower.

LONDON CLOSING PRICES

BRITISH FUNDS

Consols 2½%	79½	79¾	3½% Conversion	104 15/16	105 3/16
Do 4%	111¼	111½	5% Conversion	101⅞	102⅜
3½% War Loan	103 7/16	103 9/16	2½% Land	89½	90½
3% War Loan	101 7/16	101 9/16	I.F.S. 4½% Land	115½	117½
Funding Loan	113¼	113½	Local Loans	94 3/16	94 7/16
Victory Bonds	113	114	Nat Def. 2½%	101	102
3% Conversion	103½	104			

BONDS—RAILS—BANKS

Brazil 20 Yr. A	79½	
Do. 40 Yr. P	59½	
Gt. Western	61½	
L.M.S. Ord.	33	
Do. 4% Pref.	76	
Do. 5% Rd. P.	103½	
Do. 4% Pf. '23	62	
L.N.E. Pf. Ord	10⅜	
Do. Def.	5	
Do. 1st Pref.	61	
Do. 2nd Pref	33½	
Sth. Pref. Ord	77	
Sth. Def. Ord	24⅜	
Do. 5% Pref.	115	
Arg. Gt. W. 5% Deb.	59	
B.A. Gt. Sth	14¼	
Do. 4% Deb	62	
B.A. and Pac 4% Deb.	69	
Do. Con. 4½% Deb.	56	
B.A. & Western	12¼	
Do. 4% Deb	58	
Canadian Pac	15 7/16	+1/32
C. Arg. 4% Deb	54	+½
Do. 5% Deb. 1967-87	47	
Bank of Eng.	364½	
Barclay A	54/6	
Hong Kong & Shanghai	80½	
Lloyds	60/6	
Midland	10 7/16	+1/16
Westminster	70/0	
Do. £4, £1 pd.	91/6	

OILS—RUBBERS.

Anglo-Iranian	113/1½*	
Attock	39/4½	
Burmah	77/6	
Can. Eagle	11/6	
Mex. Eagle	10/4½	
Shell	76/3	
Trin. Lease	85/0	
Do. Pet. Dev.	75/0	
Anglo-Dutch	14/6½	
Anglo-Malay	6/7	
Highlands	17/0	
Kuala Lumpur	16/3	
Malacca	11/0	
Malayalam	33/3	
Rubber Trust	17/9	+0/3
U. Sua Betong	27/6	
Utd. Serdang	1/9½	

* Ex Dividend. ‡ Ex Bonus. + Ex Rights

INDUSTRIALS

Austin (5/-)	25 0	+0/7½
Assoc. Cement	62/6	−0/6
Babcock & W.	47/6	
Brown (J.)	25/3*	
B.S.A.	23/3	
Bleachers	10/9	
Brad. Dyers	20/6	
Braz. Trac.	27⅜	−¼
Brit. Celanese	28/10	−0/1½
Brit. Match	38/6	−0/6
B.A. Tobacco	103/9	
Beechams Def.	17/0*	
Boots Drug	41/0	
Brit. Alum.	47/3	
Brit. Oxygen	76/6	+0/6
Brit. Plstr. Bd.	28/0	−0/1½
Br. P. Cement	82/6	
Bass	164/0	+1/0
Brit. Insulated	106/10½	
Coast Lines	15/3	
Cab. & W. Ord	76⅛	
Calico Print	15/9	
Coats	45/10½	
Cory, Wm.	88/6	
Clan Line	5	
Cunard	23/3	
Courtaulds	50/9	−0/1½
Carreras B.	17/1½	+0/3
De La Rue	7 15/16*	
Dorman L.	28/1½	
Dunlop	39/6	
Distillers	89/0	+1/0
Elec. & Mus.	27/9	
English Cotton	31/10½	−0/4½
Ever Ready	38/6	
Ford	33/9	+0/1½
Fine Spinners	21/9	
Gallaher	6 9/16	
Guinness	122/0	−1/6
Gen. Elec.	88/0	+0/3
Harrods	52/6	
Hudson's Bay	60/3	−0/9
Hawker Sid.	17/0	
Harland & W.	13/6	
Imp. Tobacco	7 15/32	+1/32
Imp. Chemical	38/6	−0/1½
Int. Nickel	38¾	+⅛
Leyland	74/6	
Lever	35/0	+0/3
Lever N.V.	32/6	
London Brick	62/6	
Morris	40/9	+0/3
Murex	97/6	
Marks & S.	54/4½	+0/1½
Pressed Steel	26/3	
P. & O. Def.	30/0	−0/6
Raleigh	73/6	
Rolls Royce	100/0	
Siemens	30/4	

INDUSTRIALS (Contd.)

Stewart & L.	51/3	+0/3
Sudan Plants	41/9	+0/3
Thomas (R.)	10/0	
Tob Secs T.	73/9	
Tate & Lyle	67/6	
Triplex	37/0	
Tube Invest.	88/6	−0/6
Turner & N	76/3	
United Steel	25/1½	
United South	76/3	
Utd Molasses	30/6	
Vickers	17/10½	+0/1½
Wall Paper Df	38/9*	
White Tomkin	41/3	
Watney Def	78/6	+0/3
Woolworth	57/0	

MINES.

Aug. Am Inv.	56/3	−1/3
Ashanti	56/10½	
Bibiani	25/6	−0/3
Blyvoor	83/9	
Brakpan	25/0	
Chartered	27/9	
Cons Diam'd	38/9	−1/3
Cons Afr Sel.	21/0	
Cons. G.F.	58/1½	−0/7½
Crown	8½	
Daggafontein	45/0	
De Beers	18	−½
Durban Deep	72/6	
East Dagga.	46/3	
East Geduld	9¼	
E. Rand Prop	42/6	
Geduld	7½	+1/16
Govt Areas	41/3	
J'burg Cons	58/9	
Langlaagte	5/6	
Libanon	19/6	
Luipaards	20/3	−0/3
Marievale	29/6	−0/3
Nigel Gold	51/3	
Roan	12/9	
Rhod Ang. A.	19/9	−0/3
Rhodesian Sel	14/0	
Rhokana	7½	+⅛
Rio Tinto	17	
Simmer & J	11/6	−0/3
Springs	18/1½	−0/4½
S.A. Land	77/6	
Venterspost	34/4½	
Vereeniging	61/3	
Victoria Falls	86/3	
Vlakfontein	31/10½	
Vogels'bult	29/4½	
West Holding	35/0	
West Reefs	62/6	
West Springs	27/6	
West Wits	9¾	−1/16

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE INDUSTRIAL CREDIT COMPANY, LIMITED

To the TENTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS, to be held at the OFFICES OF THE COMPANY, 9 LEINSTER STREET, DUBLIN, on TUESDAY, the 14th day of DECEMBER, 1943, at 2.30 p.m.

The Directors submit to the Shareholders the Profit and Loss Account of the Company for the year ended October 31st, 1943, and the Balance Sheet of the Company as at that date, together with a copy of the Auditors' Certificate and Report.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
The Gross Profit for the year ended October 31st, 1943, amounted to				57,184	7	6
Administrative and General Expenses, including Directors' Fees, amounted to				7,592	9	7
Leaving a Net Profit of				49,591	17	11
Deducting provision for Income Tax and Corporation Profits Tax				21,310	12	9
There remains a Balance of				28,281	5	2
To which has to be added the Balance brought forward from last Account				2,209	8	6
Making a total available of				£30,490	13	8
The Directors propose the following allocations:—						
To Dividend of 2½ per cent. (less Income Tax) on the Paid-up Capital	12,695	6	3			
To Investment and other Reserves	15,000	0	0			
Leaving to be carried forward to the next Account	2,795	7	5			
				£30,490	13	8

Under Article 73 of the Articles of Association, Mr. J. J. O'LEARY, being one of the Directors elected by the Members retires and, being eligible, offers himself for re-election.

During the year, Mr. JOHN P. PUNCH, one of the Directors nominated by the Minister for Finance, retired on being appointed a Director of The Central Bank of Ireland.

Mr. M. W. O'REILLY, who was nominated by the Minister in place of Mr. PUNCH, now retires under Article 80 of the Company's Articles of Association and will be renominated by the Minister.

The Auditors, Messrs. Kevans and Son, retire and, being eligible, offer themselves for reappointment.

December 6th, 1943. By Order of the Board, J. P. BEDDY, Secretary.

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st OCTOBER, 1943.

LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.	ASSETS.	£	s.	d.
Capital Authorised (5,000,000 Shares of £1 each) £5,000,000				Cash in hand and at Bankers	50,568	12	7
Capital Issued and Subscribed £1,000,000				Loans and Advances (after providing for Reserves)	188,618	1	11
Capital Paid Up (500,000 Shares of £1 each, fully paid, and 500,000 Shares of £1 each 12/6 paid)	812,500	0	0	Investments at net cost (less Reserves) or latest market quotations, whichever is the lower	658,746	6	10
Reserve Fund	50,000	0	0	Customers' Liability in respect of Guarantees	60,000	0	0
Sundry Creditors and other Accounts (including Reserve for Contingencies)	10,379	10	7	Other Assets	5,437	2	11
Contingent Liability in respect of Guarantees	60,000	0	0				
Profit and Loss Account	30,490	13	8				
	£963,370	4	3		£963,370	4	3

Dr. PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st OCTOBER, 1943. Cr.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Salaries, Wages, Directors' Fees and Office and General Expenses	7,592	9	7	By Balance from last Account	22,404	14	9			
„ Provision for Income Tax and Corporation Profits Tax	21,310	12	9	Less Allocations	20,195	6	3	2,209	8	6
„ Balance, to Balance Sheet	30,490	13	8	„ Gross Profit for year ended 31st October, 1943				57,184	7	6
	£59,393	16	0					£59,393	16	0

JOHN P. COLBERT, Chairman. J. J. O'LEARY, LAURENCE J. KETTLE } Directors. J. P. BEDDY, Secretary.
December 3rd, 1943.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE AND REPORT.

We have examined the Balance Sheet of the Industrial Credit Company, Limited, made up to the 31st October, 1943, as above set forth, and have obtained all the information and explanations which we have required. In our opinion the Balance Sheet is properly drawn up, so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Company's affairs according to the best of our information and the explanations given us and as shown by the books of the Company.

1 Westmoreland Street, Dublin, November 23rd, 1943. KEVANS & SON, Auditors and Accountants.

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS

GAIETY THEATRE
Nightly 7.30. Matinée Saturday, 2.30.
Shelah Richards, Michael Walsh present
MERIEL MOORE in
"TEN LITTLE NIGGER BOYS."
Agatha Christie's Famous Thriller.
With T. St. John Barry.
Booking Open Daily. 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

OLYMPIA THEATRE
NIGHTLY 7.45 SHARP.
FRANK O'DONOVAN IN HIS LATEST REVUE,
"FLYING COLOURS,"
With
PEGGY DELL,
Silvio, Kitty McMahon, Vi Hindle's Violettes.
And Full Supporting Company.
"TRUTH OR CONSEQUENCES."
The Laugh Quiz of the Century.
Box Office, 10.30-12.30, 1.30-6 p.m. 'Phone 22962

ABBEY THEATRE
At 7.30 p.m.
"PAUL TWYNING," by George Shiels. (Second Week). Latecomers not admitted until end of First Act.

GATE EDWARDS-MacLIAMMOIR.
John Drinkwater's
"ABRAHAM LINCOLN."
With LIAM GAFFNEY.
Nightly at 8. Mat. Sat. 2.30.
BOOKING OPENS TO-DAY.
"MASQUERADE."
ANOTHER CHRISTMAS PARTY.
OPENING Sunday, Dec. 26th, at 8.
MATINEE Monday, Dec. 27th, at 2.30.

QUEEN'S Stage—4.20, 7.20. Screen—3 o'c., 6 & 9 o'
PERCY HOLMSHAW presents
"RADIO PARADE."
A NEW-STYLE SHOW.
Mary Lee in "SHANTY TOWN."

METROPOLE 2.0, 4.20, 6.40, 8.50.
TYRONE POWER. MYRNA LOY. GEORGE BRENT.
"THE RAINS CAME."

THEATRE DE LUXE
BETTY GRABLE, CESAR ROMERO.
"CONEY ISLAND."
3.57, 6.28, 8.59.

ASTORIA Dun Laoghaire. Last Day of
Bob Hope in "NOTHING BUT THE TRUTH." Also "Rubber Racketeers." To-morrow (Wed.): "SILVER SKATES." Also "NEATH BROOKLYN BRIDGE."

GRAND CENTRAL
"HATTER'S CASTLE."
(2nd WEEK).
At 2.33, 4.38, 6.43, 8.48.

PUBLIC NOTICES

DUBLIN BOARD OF ASSISTANCE.

TENDERS FOR BEEF PARTS, ETC.

The Commissioners for the Dublin Board of Assistance invite Tenders for the supply of Mutton Parts, Beef Parts, Beef Sausages, Pork Sausages and Puddings to St. Kevin's Institution, James's Street, Dublin, and St. Patrick's Home, Navan road, Cabra, Co. Dublin, from the 1st January, 1944, to the 30th June, 1944, or for such other periods as Contractors may indicate.

Sealed Tenders, on official forms, copies of which may be obtained on application to me, will be received up to but not later than 10 o'clock a.m. on Monday, 20th December, 1943.

Persons whose Tenders are accepted will be required to enter into a Contract and Bond for the due performance of the Contract.

The Commissioners do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any Tender.

By Order,
JAMES E. S. CONDON, Secretary.
Secretary's Office, Boardroom, 1 James's Street, Dublin.
6th December, 1943.

DUBLIN BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

TENDERS FOR POTATOES

The Commissioners for the Dublin Board of Assistance invite Tenders for the supply of Best Table Potatoes to St. Kevin's Institution, James's Street, Dublin, from the date of acceptance of Tender to the 30th June, 1944, or for such other period as Contractors may indicate.

Quantity required:—About 5½ tons per week.

Every supply will be examined and all inferior potatoes rejected and replaced at the Contractor's expense.

Tenders should state the type of Potatoes offered.

Tenders, sealed and endorsed "Tender for Potatoes," must be lodged with me here not later than 10 o'clock a.m. on Monday, 20th December, 1943.

Persons whose Tenders are accepted will be required to enter into a Contract and Bond for the due performance of the Contract.

The Commissioners do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any Tender.

By Order,
JAMES E. S. CONDON, Secretary.
Secretary's Office, Boardroom, 1 James's Street, Dublin.
6th December, 1943.

DUBLIN PORT SANITARY AUTHORITY.
NOTICE OF ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES.

I hereby give notice that the estimate of expenses of the Dublin Port Sanitary Authority Joint Board for the year ending on the 31st day of March, 1945, showing the amounts necessary to meet the expenses of the Board has been prepared and will be considered by the Board at the estimates meeting on the 14th December, 1943.

A copy of the said estimate has been deposited in the office of the Dublin Port Sanitary Authority at the Municipal Buildings, Dublin, and may be there inspected free of charge by any member of the public at any time at which such office is open for the transaction of official business.

A copy of the said estimate at the price of one shilling will be supplied to any person making application therefor.

(Signed). P. J. HERNON,
Dublin City and County Manager.
City Hall, Dublin.
6th December, 1943. K.A.A.

WEXFORD COUNTY COUNCIL.

STEAM ENGINE FOR SALE.

Offers are invited and will be received up to Saturday, the 18th December, 1943, for the Purchase of a Steam Engine of which the following are particulars:

One Vertical Steam Engine (Makers: Marshall, Sons and Co., Ltd., Gainsborough), single cylinder, piston valve, approximately 25 h.p. The makers details of the engine are: 9½" x 12", "SMP" Engine No. 81717.

The Engine may be inspected at the County Hospital, Wexford, from Monday to Friday, between 9.30 a.m. and 5.30 p.m.
N. J. FRIZELLE, Runaidhe.
County Hall, Wexford, 1/12/43.

REGISTRATION OF CLUBS ACT, 1904
INTOXICATING LIQUOR ACT, 1927.

Take Notice that I intend to apply to the District Justice at the District Court at Bray on the 7th day of January, 1944, for a Renewal of the Certificate of Registration of the Greystones Golf Club, County Wicklow, on behalf of R. Dykes, Secretary of Greystones Golf Club, County Wicklow.
(Signed) JAMES M. MAGEE, Solicitor 17 Quinsboro' Road, Bray, County Wicklow.
Dated this 7th day of December, 1943.

PATENTS.

The Proprietor of Patents Nos. 15143 and 15144 relating to GAME APPARATUS desires to enter into arrangements with Manufacturers, by way of Licences or otherwise, for the purpose of exploiting the inventions and ensuring their full development and practical working in this country.

All communications to be addressed to:
H. D. FITZPATRICK & CO.,
Registered Patent and Trade Mark Agents,
16/17 Lower O'Connell street, Dublin.

KILDARE COUNTY COUNCIL.

MIDWIFE WANTED

For Maynooth Dispensary District. Salary £60 per year. Completed applications on printed forms will be received up to 10 o'clock a.m. on the 21st December, 1943.
By Order, D. J. PURCELL, Acting Secretary.
District Hospital, Naas.
1st December, 1943.

REGISTRATION OF CLUBS ACTS, 1904-1927.

Take Notice that I intend to Apply for a Renewal of the Certificate of Registration of the Clontarf Golf Club, Donnycarney, Dublin.
LEO F. DUNPHY, Secretary.
7th December, 1943.
PATRICK F. RYAN, Solicitor for Applicant 43 Dame street, Dublin.

IRISH WORSTED MILLS, LTD.
ORDINARY SHARES.

Notice is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Ordinary Shares will be Closed from 6th December to 16th December, 1943, both days inclusive, for the purpose of preparing dividend warrants.
By Order of the Board,
JOHN KEENAN, Secretary.
Registered Offices, Portlaoighise.

REGISTRATION OF CLUBS ACTS, 1904-1927.—Take Notice, I intend to apply for a Renewal of Registration Certificate of the British Legion (Kingstown Branch) and Club, Ltd., 3 Crosthwaite terrace, Dun Laoghaire, Co. Dublin.—Edward Fitzpatrick, Secretary.

REGISTRATION OF CLUBS ACTS, 1904-1927.—Take Notice, I intend to apply for a Renewal of Registration Certificate of the Elm Park Golf and Sports Club, Ltd., Nutley House, Donnybrook.
P. J. O'RYAN, Secretary.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE GOODS OF T. LYONS HARRINGTON, late of Rockfort, Sandycove, Co. Dublin, and 4 Church lane, Dublin, Stockbroker, Deceased.

Let all persons having claims against the Estate of the above deceased please send same to the undersigned Solicitors forthwith:
JAMES BINCHY & SON, Solicitors, Charleville, Co. Cork; or 21 Kildare street, Dublin.

In the Goods of MISS ALICE CAROLINE BELL, of 41 Sandford road, Dublin, Deceased.

All persons having claims against Deceased, who died on 2nd December, 1943, are required to furnish particulars forthwith to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors.
Dated this 6th December, 1943.
W. R. MEREDITH & SON, 32 Molesworth street, Dublin.

ROYAL Film at 2.45, 6.25, 9.20 Show 4.10, 7.50.
The Thrill-a-minute Spy Drama,
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With
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REGAL ROOMS CINEMA At 2.20, 4.30, 6.45, 8.55.
CARY GRANT,
In the Part he Chose Himself,
"MR. LUCKY."
With LARAINE DAY.

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Don AMECHE, Gene TIERNEY,
In Lubitsch's First Technicolour Comedy
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The Capitol Orchestra: Capitol Girls.
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Ann Sheridan, Robert Cummings, Ronald Regan, in
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CARLTON 2.10, 4.35, 6.55, 9.15.
LINDA DARNELL,
Michael Duane and Sara Allgood in
"CITY WITHOUT MEN."
Extra: "IT'S A GREAT LIFE."

GRAFTON Con., 2 to 10.30. 2.5, 4.30, 6.55, 9.20
ANNABELLA—ROBERT YOUNG in
"BRIDAL SUITE."
EXTRA ATTRACTION:
Will Hay in "ASK A POLICEMAN."

PAVILION DUN LAOGHAIRE, at 3.59, 6.29 & 8.59 p.m.
LORETTA YOUNG, BRIAN AHERNE
IN
A NIGHT TO REMEMBER.

REGENT CINEMA, BLACKROCK.
HEDY LAMARR, WALTER PIDGEON,
In
"WHITE CARGO."

CORINTHIAN
To-day at 2.15, 4.39, 7.3, 9.27. Jack Warner and Claude Hulbert, "THE DUMMY TALKS." Wm. Boyd and Antonio Moreno, "UNDERCOVER MAN."

GREEN 3.40, 6.30, 9.10—Preston Foster, Ellen Drew, Ralph Morgan, "GERONIMO." Also Hugh Herbert, "HELLO, SUCKER."

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THE Commissioners of Public Works invite separate Tenders for the Letting of the two under-mentioned fields at this property for the season ending on 30th November, 1944:—

	Approx. Area. (S.M.)	Purpose.
Northern Field ...	8 acres. ...	Tillage.
Western Field ...	1½ acres. ...	Grazing.

The Tenders should be addressed to the undersigned in sealed envelopes, marked "Marlborough Hall Lands," and will be considered if received up to, but not later than, 12 o'clock midday on Friday, the 17th December, 1943.

The Commissioners do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any Tender.
GEO. P. FAGAN, Runaidhe.
Office of Public Works, Dublin.
4th December, 1943.
G8749. W.H.Co.

ON THE WIRELESS

IRISH PROGRAMME

1.0-1.40 — Radio Eireann Orchestra. 1.40-1.45 — News and Stock Exchange. 1.45-2.30 — Concert. 6.0 — "Simple Classics," presented by Lilian Conolly. 6.15—"Here, There and Everywhere," and a Competition presented by Niall Sheridan. 6.40—Stock Exchange, Sports Results, Official Announcements. 6.45—Third News. 7.5—Modern French Songs: Third of Four Recitals by Jean Nolan. 7.25—"The Harp": Sketch by Fay Sargent. 7.45—Handel Concert — Sligo Oratorio Society, from the Schoolhouse, Sligo. 8.30 — Music for the Feast of the Immaculate Conception by the Augustinian Students' Choir. 9.0—"Concert Tour"—relayed from Atlantic Theatre, Cove. 10.0—Nuacht. 10.10—News in English. 10.30—"Music by Night."

B.B.C. PROGRAMMES

HOME SERVICE.

203.5 m. (1,474 kc/s), 391.1 m. 767 kc/s), 449.1 m. (668 kc/s), 48.54 m. (6.18 mc/s).

7.0—News. 7.15—"The Daily Dozen." 7.30—Cesar Franck. 7.55—"Lift Up Your Hearts!" 8.0—News. 8.15—The Kitchen Front. 8.20—Miscellany on Records. 9.0—R. Porter-Brown (organ). 9.20—"Christmas Is Coming ——" 9.35—Service for Schools. 9.55—William Walton. 10.5—Schools 10.15—Service. 10.30—Music While You Work. 11.0—Schools. 12.0—Band. 12.30—Workers' Playtime. 1.0—News. 1.15—"Nursing the R.A.F." 1.30—Instrumental Movements. 1.50—Schools 3.0—Music While You Work. 3.30—Evensong. 4.0—"Writer's Cramp." 4.15—"The Dansant." 4.40—Twice-Told Tales. 5.0—News in Welsh. 5.5—Welsh Children's Hour. 5.30—Children's Hour. 6.0—News. 6.30—Dvorak. 7.0—"Strong Waters." 7.30—"For Parents Chiefly." 7.45—Richard Haydn in "Take It From Here." 8.15—The Brains Trust. 9.0—News. 9.25—"Red on the Map." 9.45—Theatre Orchestra. 10.20—"H" (Talk) 10.35—"For the Armchair Detective." 10.45—"Bandstand." 11.30—Ivy Benson and her Girls' Band. 12.0—News.

ALTERNATIVE SERVICE.

296.1 m (1,013 kc/s), 342.1 m. (877 kc/s).

6.30—"Reveille!" 7.0—News. 7.15—"National Barn Dance." 7.45—Dinah Shore. 8.0—News. 8.15—The Kitchen Front. 8.20—Miscellany on Records. 9.0—R. Porter-Brown (organ). 9.30—Troise and his Mandoliers. 10.0—The Three Peppers. 10.15—"Sut Hwyl?" 10.30—Music While You Work. 11.0—London Gypsy Orchestra. 11.30—"Broadway Melodies." 12.0—Band. 12.30—Workers' Playtime. 1.0—News. 1.15—George Elrick and his Band. 2.0—Midland Light Orchestra. 2.40—"Tunes To My Taste." 3.0—Music While You Work. 3.30—Northern Orchestra. 4.15—"The Dansant." 4.40—Fredric Curzon (organ). 5.0—Milt Herth Trio. 5.15—"The Scene is Spain." 5.45 — Forces' Problems Answered. 6.0—News. 6.30—News from Australia. 6.40—News from New Zealand. 6.50—News from South Africa. 7.0—Ensa Half-Hour. 7.30—Band. 8.0—Queen's Hall Light Orchestra. 8.30—Carroll Gibbons and his Orchestra. 9.0—News. 9.25—"Into Battle." 9.35—"Winter Sunshine." 10.0—"Tuesday Radiogram." 10.30—Music While You Work. 11.0—Close down.

The Irish Times

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1943.

Conference in Teheran

The official news is issued this morning of another great Allied conference, the existence of which has been an open secret for several days past. Fresh from the conclusion of their talks with Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek in North Africa, Mr. Winston Churchill and President Roosevelt journeyed with their staffs to Teheran, where they were joined by Marshal Stalin. Two conferences were necessary in order that the whole field of the war might be surveyed; for the Russians, who are not at war with Japan, manifestly could not attend the earlier function, whose whole object was the prosecution of the Far Eastern war. Like all of these major meetings between national leaders of either side, this one has resulted in a *communiqué* whose terms are so broad as to be capable of any or every interpretation. Nevertheless, a severely practical note is struck in the statement that the three plenipotentiaries have agreed upon operations which "will be undertaken from the east, west and south." Operations from the east and south are in process already; if the new declaration means anything, it means that a third offensive — against France, the Low Countries, or Norway—cannot be deferred for any length of time. More interesting, however—because hitherto it has been in greater doubt—is the sentence: "As to peace, we are sure that our concord will make it an enduring peace." There have been many rumours of what may be called "ideological" dissension between the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics and its two great allies. In the early days of the war it was whispered that some Englishmen, and a greater number of Americans, actually would prefer to see the defeat of Russia by Germany, on the ground that they were in less terror of a National-Socialist than of a Communist hegemony over Europe. If the Allies were to hold together, it was clearly necessary that these whispers should not be regarded as the sentiment of the British and American Governments — or, indeed, of the peoples whom they represented—and the conference at Teheran is the latest of several indications of the three nations' unity of spirit. Only a handful of men—the actual participants in the conference—is aware of what actually was said. There are several subjects about which the Allies are suspected to have entertained diverse opinions: one, in particular, relates to the future boundaries of Poland, while another concerns Russian aspirations towards an outlet to the Mediterranean. Whether these matters were raised at Teheran has not been disclosed. The one certainty is that so harmonious a declaration hardly would have been issued if any particularly knotty point had been left without discussion, or without resolution.

Telephone Troubles

Two recent items of news ought to gladden the hearts of telephone subscribers all over the country, and particularly of those who are obliged to make use of public call-boxes. The first, mentioned in the newspapers a few days ago, dealt with the Government decision to introduce a device which, when fitted to public telephone call-boxes, will automatically cut off all conversation as soon as the permitted time ration of six minutes has been exceeded. The other item of news, mentioned recently in the "London Letter" of this newspaper, tells of developments in the dialling system by which it now is possible to dial a number in London and to be connected, almost immediately, with a subscriber in a city as far distant as Edinburgh or Glasgow. Shortly before the war there was a great deal of talk about the introduction of television-style screens into telephone booths, so that people inserting two pennies in the slot not only could hold a conversation with their friends, but also could watch their friends holding conversation with them. This innovation, however, while it undoubtedly would seem to spell "progress" to those who examined the scheme only superficially, could offer no real advantage to the telephone-user who could conduct his business just as effectively whether or not he was able to see the person at the other end of the line. The recently reported developments, on the other hand, offer great advantages. Everybody who has had occasion to make use of a public call-box can appreciate how much valuable time often is wasted, standing outside a box, waiting for a young woman who requires twenty minutes to say what could be more clearly expressed in two, or "hanging on" while a succession of exchange operators spaced through the country do their best to "get a connection." Such delays could be eradicated if the developments mentioned in these news items were speedily installed. It might be a good idea, too, if somebody discovered a device to prevent people from tearing pages out of the telephone directory and inserting in the coin box bent and battered pennies that put the telephone out of commission for hours, or even for days.

The Law's Delay

The peculiarly distinctive jargon in which laws and contracts usually are worded has been, from time immemorial, a convenient target for the layman's derision. When Shakespeare referred to the law's delay, he is not unlikely to have known that the wordiness of legal papers read in court is one of the delay's principal causes. Certainly, Dickens appreciated the time-destroying folly of the clumsy verbal intricacies that always prevented the case of Jarndyce v. Jarndyce from coming to any reasonable conclusion. It is, therefore, something of a relief to hear that distinguished legal men are struck, at times, by the absurdity of some of the documents that are read in court. "What a rigmarole!" was the comment of Judge Gordon Alchin at a recent sitting of Edmonton County Court when the Town Clerk of Southgate had submitted to him a document from the British Ministry of Health. The document consisted of two sentences, the first of which contained 150 words, and the second nine words. The long sentence introduced a "whereas," a "wherewith," a "hereto," a "hereby," and a "thereof." Free use was made, also, of such phrases as "being of opinion that it is expedient in connection with such use of the said premises so to do" and "be entitled to do for the purpose of securing the removal from the said premises of persons not entitled to occupy the same." Mr. Aldous Huxley, rightly or wrongly, once said of a passage of poetry by Tennyson that, when analysed, it meant about as much as so many hiccups. Lawyers declare that their documents are worded with the special intention of avoiding any possible ambiguity. It is unfortunate that the elimination of ambiguity involves the use of a style which makes the deciphering of James Joyce's most abstruse paragraphs seem child's play by comparison. Dickens's satire may have helped to destroy the Fleet Prison, but the effect of his writings on legal jargon has yet to be felt.

MRS. LEIGH-WHITE, Director of the World Association of Girl Guides, who spent the week-end in Dublin, is returning to England to-day.

Mr. E. G. T. d'Egremont has arrived in Dublin from England.

Major A. D. McCall has left Dublin for Mullingar.

Colonel de las Morenas, of the Spanish Cavalry, is expected to return to Ireland within the next fortnight.

The engagement is announced between James A. Gibney, 321 Griffith avenue, Whitehall, youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gibney, and Irene Flynn, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Flynn, 47 Windsor road, Rathmines. The marriage will take place in January.

The engagement is announced, and the marriage will take place at St. John's Church, Monasterevan, on January 6th, of Albert (Bertie) Pearson, Thomastown House, Kildare, and Jane Elizabeth (Jennie) Hendy, Harristown, Nurney, Kildare.

The engagement is announced between W. Henry M. Jones, M.B., Ch.B., Yale Lodge, 37 Ruabon road, Wrexham, North Wales, and Anne M. Barry, M.B., B.Ch., John's Bridge, Kilkenny.

The marriage arranged between Lieutenant Gerald MacDermott, 35 Terenure Park, and Miss Maureen Gordon, 30 Northumberland road, will take place on Tuesday, 28th December, and not on 14th December, as previously arranged.

A marriage has been arranged, and will shortly take place, between Terence Greer Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Johnston, of Raheen House, Ballynahinch, Co. Down, and Katharine Adelaide Hildegarde Coghill, daughter of the late Sir Egerton Coghill, Bt., and Lady Coghill, of Glen Barrahane, Castletownshend, Co. Cork.

R. A. McNEILE AND MRS. PATON.

The engagement is announced between Robert A. McNeile, second son of the late A. M. McNeile and Mrs. McNeile, of Carter House, Eton College, and Pamela Rachel Paton, only daughter of H. B. Pollock and Mrs. Pollock, Castleknock Lodge, Castleknock, Co. Dublin.

FRENCH SCHOOL, BRAY.

The Annual Carol Concert and Prize-giving will be held on Thursday, December 9th, at 3 p.m. All old girls will be welcomed. R.S.V.P. to Miss Heatley.

Short Bolero Jackets—most useful Christmas Gifts—are being shown in Switzers Ladies' Coat Dept., in attractive Tweeds and Fancy Materials. They are priced at 58/3 (8 coupons). Smart Washable Doeskin Jackets are also to be had at 6 Gns.

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To those who are interested in Old Dublin—The Lino-Cuts by Fergus O'Ryan, published by the Cluna Studio as Christmas Cards, have a special appeal. They can be purchased at the Dublin Art Shop, 54 Dawson street.

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CHURCH SERVICES

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—10, Matins. 4, Evensong.
CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—10.45, Matins. 3, Evensong.
ST. ANN'S, Dawson St.—10, Matins.

CHARLES HENRY ROWE
AN APPRECIATION

BY the death of Charles Henry Rowe in the prime of life and at the height of his intellectual powers Trinity College loses one of its finest and most devoted sons and the Mathematical School suffers a devastating blow.

A student of the late Professor Conran, of University College, Cork, from whom he received his first inspiration in mathematics, and of whom he always retained the most affectionate memories, Rowe arrived in Dublin in 1915 with a reputation already established as a brilliant student. After an outstanding undergraduate career in Trinity College he graduated with the highest honours in mathematics and philosophy in 1918, and two years later was elected a Fellow of the College. He was given a year's leave of absence, during which he studied at the Sorbonne and the Collège de France under Hadamard, Lebesgue and Goursat. On his return he became Erasmus Smith's Professor of Mathematics, and proceeded to introduce many reforms into the mathematical course. He was a brilliant and inspiring lecturer, especially in the newer methods of geometry and analysis which were then coming into prominence, and he infused a new spirit into the mathematical teaching of the University. He founded the College Mathematical Society, which not only stimulated study in the College itself, but provided the means of inviting distinguished mathematicians to Dublin from time to time.

His mathematical interests were largely geometrical, his chief contributions being to Riemannian geometry in a series of papers in the Royal Irish Academy, the American Mathematical Society, and the Journal de Mathématiques, and to projective geometry (with the collaboration of Bertrand Gambier) in the Annales de l'Ecole Normale Supérieure. He also edited the last edition of Salmon's Geometry of Three Dimensions.

He undertook a number of important administrative posts in the College, and, though administration was distasteful to him, he discharged these duties with all the greater conscientiousness, and with his usual meticulous care for detail.

In addition to his scientific attainments, Rowe possessed unusual linguistic gifts. He wrote impeccable English and French, and became a fluent Irish speaker, examining when necessary through the medium of the language. He was not less distinguished for his personal qualities. His keen analytical mind and subtle sense of humour, combined with his invariable courtesy and transparent sincerity, won him a large circle of friends; and his social gifts were enhanced by a wide interest in literature and music, especially the latter, he himself being an accomplished pianist. In spite of his sensitiveness and reserve, he was a charming host, and many will remember with pleasure his generous hospitality on numerous occasions. He had close friends in all the Irish universities, and he did much to bring together those devoted to mathematical studies in the University Colleges of Dublin, Cork and Galway, the Queen's University of Belfast and Trinity College.

His memory will be long honoured by his College, which he loved so well, and to which he gave such unstinted and loyal service.

A. J. McC., J. M. H. and T. S. B.

"HOUSING DILEMMAS"

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Being keenly desirous of seeing the slums of Dublin removed, I read with interest your leading article of December 2nd. I should like to point out how one building society solved the problem without producing "the deadly dangers of monetary inflation and soaring prices," etc. They simply applied to the public for, not exactly "interest-free loans," but donations, and got them in quite considerable quantities — almost sufficient to enable them to build a block of 13 flats—thus enabling 13 families to live in decent comfort for the past two years. We have wiped out a small piece of slum similar to that described in your columns.

I doubt if any of those who subscribed so generously to the project have found themselves worse off, either for loss of capital or interest of three or five per cent. on an investment of from 2s. 6d. to £1,000. (We got donations of all dimensions.) Our society is not burdened for years ahead with the debt for interest. When we subscribe our money to build churches or hospitals we do not ask five per cent. on our money in kind—so why should we not do likewise with regard to another type of building which is so badly needed at the present time.

Thirteen may be a small proportion of 22,000, but, as Fintan Lalor said, "sometime, somewhere, somehow a beginning must be made." Our society has a large tract of land ready to build on when our fund has grown again. Our concern cannot be regarded as an investment in anything except civic honour, and, while dividends will certainly be paid, it will not be in this world.—Yours, etc.,

M. FFRENCH-MULLEN,
Hon. Secretary.
Charlemont Public Utility Society, Limited, 35 Charlemont street, Dublin.
December 3rd, 1943.

FUNERALS

PROFESSOR M. W. J. FRY

Following Service at the Chapel of Trinity College, Dublin, at which the Dean of St. Patrick's and the Rev. Canon Oulton officiated, the funeral took place yesterday to Mount Jerome Cemetery of Professor M. W. J. Fry, S.F.T.C.D. The Rev. R. M. Gwynn, Vice-Provost, and the Rev. Canon Parkinson Hill were at the graveside.

The chief mourners were:—Mrs. W. J. Fry (widow); the Rev. H. and Mrs. Fry (son and daughter-in-law); Miss M. E. Fry and Miss J. W. A. Fry (daughters): Mr. W. H. Fry, Mr. R. J. M. Fry and Miss Sydney Jameson (cousins); Mr. H. M. Read, and Mr. E. J. M. Watson (nephews).

Among the large attendance were many Senior Fellows, Fellows and Professors and representatives of College societies. The Archbishop of Dublin was represented by the Rev. G. O. Simms.

The funeral arrangements were carried out by Alfred G. Waller.

MR. THOMAS PURCELL

There was a representative attendance at the funeral of Mr. Thomas Purcell, Albert House, Dalkey, Co. Dublin, formerly Chief of the Dublin Fire Brigade, which took place yesterday to Dean's Grange Cemetery, following Requiem Mass in the Church of the Assumption, Dalkey, celebrated by the Rev. P. Kearney, C.C., Dalkey. The Very Rev. M. F. Boylan, P.P., Dalkey, assisted by the Rev. M. Creedon, C.C., officiated at the graveside.

The chief mourners were: Professor P. E. Purcell, Messrs. P. M., D. J., T. G., and Dr. G. M. Purcell (sons); Misses N., B. and T. Purcell (nieces); Messrs. P. Purcell and P. Walshe (nephews), Mrs. D. J. Purcell (relative).

The attendance included: Mr. W. T. Cosgrave, T.D.; Senator J. Brennan, Major J. J. Comerford, and many Government and city officials.

THE WALLS OF DUBLIN

In his lecture to the Old Dublin Society last night Mr. J. W. Hammond spoke on "The Walls of Dublin." The Danes fortified Dublin in the ninth century in the form of a rough triangle, with its base on the Liffey and its apex at Nicholas street. The fortified city was no larger in extent than the grounds of Trinity College or St. Stephen's Green—that is, about one mile square.

Up to the middle of the seventeenth century Dublin possessed 32 towers and 12 gates.

CRUISKEEN LAWN
By Myles na gCopaleen

IN an English weekly I see this thing quoted as "A Great Thought":

A great army may be robbed of its leader, but nothing can rob a poor man of his will.

Is that right?

How come, then, that the Law Society has been talking for years of the necessity for setting up a Compensation Fund to protect the public from dishonest solicitors?

The same paper has a whole lot of stuff about "Happy Moments." A certain lady's happiest moments are spent walking with her spaniel in the "golden autumn woods." How well that she does not substitute "barking" or "creeping" for "walking." Here is another lady's happiest moment:

"Passing by a house and catching a glimpse of the firelight and a table set for tea."

Why other people's comfort and grub should inspire happiness in the perished wayfarer is more than my equable and saturnine Lordship can comprehend. What, reader, are your happiest moments? Do write and tell me. Meanwhile, may I . . . I mean . . . trouble you with a few of mine?

1. The sight of four jacks in an opponent's hand, I knowing that there are four kings in mine.
2. When I have assured myself, after a strict examination in the stable, that my cob has no webs.
3. To walk with my spaniel in the golden autumn woods.
4. To be assured that I will never meet Keats in the hereafter.
5. To be elected a head Knight.

Alas, I become sentimental and silly. I know I will always be a cab reporter. Sorry, cub.

A Visit

Curious thing happened the other night—up to my neck in the lodgings, rooms strewn with boiler drawings, sketches for a big oil job "King Daithi rebukes his bards," loose pages out of symphonies and whatnot. Knock at the door and a lady comes in, violinist person, sits down and rattles off a lot of chat, long cigarette holder, fearfully intellectual type. What she talked about I do not know—the mind was a thousand miles away pondering chemical composition of copper(?) boiler tubes, but I seem to remember mention of some juvenile Hungarian—Danube Boy and so forth and then some futile dissertation on what sounded like the "London derrière." I do not meddle in such matters, I have other things to think about, but this much I will say: It is not seemly that our Irish womenfolk should occupy themselves with London (or even Parisian) concepts of what the "fashionable figure" should be. Let them be their own decent and lovely selves, unskilled in alien dietary, unversed in anatomical wizardry. We rather decent Irish husbands and fathers are prepared (without word of complaint) to spend a moiety of our small incomes on having the floor boards strengthened. As if, forsooth, we did not love them for themselves, for the truth in their eyes ever dawning!

When that lady left I made a damn silly mistake. I had finished (in tonic solfa) a set of four songs for baritone. Sending it off to a typist, I scribbled at the top of page one "Three copies, please — bass spacing." (Treble I meant, of course.)

Critical Postscript

Reading my inevitable Latin to soothe my brain afterwards, I encountered this:

"*Antrim immane petit; magnam cui mentem animumque Delius inspirat vates . . .*"

One agrees, of course. Frederick Delius was one of the best. Himself I never met but I knew the father well fine figure of a man always wore a top hat and buttoned boots that was in the old days of course above in the back room in the baily.

NEW PRODUCTION AT GAIETY

THE name of Agatha Christie in connection with a "thriller," whether it be in the form of novel or play, is always a sufficient guarantee of excellence before we sample the mixture. It may be only what we have taken a thousand times before, yet it can have a fresh and enticing flavour when prepared by her. And so this neatly produced new play from her pen at the Gaiety Theatre is a perfect joy in its own particular line. It runs its swift and exciting course so smoothly that it looks almost like something that could have happened, instead of being merely the working out of a brilliant plot by a master hand.

She takes the old nursery rhyme about the little nigger boys who disappear one by one, and builds it into a multiple murder mystery of the most satisfying and completely baffling kind. There is a thrill in every moment of the play, because we are watching all the time to detect how the thing is being done, just how the ten people who were induced to come to the lonely house on Nigger Island are being "bumped off" one by one before our very eyes. We try to guess at one solution after another. Are the murders all being done by someone amongst the ten, or are they being contrived by some sinister unknown force, the clue to this alternative being that the names of the people who brought them to the island are Mr. and Mrs. U. N. Owen?

A larger solution is suggested early on, that they have been brought here to meet a general retribution for the deaths of others that they have all caused, but this does not completely work out. One does not ask for the profound or inevitable in a "thriller," but only for the exciting entertainment, of which the "Ten Little Nigger Boys" is full.

And it was very well given by Meriel Moore, T. St. John Barry, Dan O'Herlihy, Ann Clery, Lionel Day, Michael Walsh and John Biggerstaff as the principal characters; with Cecil Forde, Terry Wilson, Sheila Carty and Gerald Pringle in smaller, though equally well-filled parts.

The production by Shelah Richards was greatly helped by Noel Moffett's fine setting, painted by Robert Heade, and by Charles Pilkington's furniture.

ORCHESTRAL AND CHORAL CONCERT

It was a varied and entertaining programme which the Musical Society of Craobh an Cheitinnigh of the Gaelic League provided for the big gathering which filled the Aberdeen Hall, Gresham Hotel, Dublin, last night. The orchestra, which contains good string players, opened with a rhapsody by the North of Ireland composer, R. O'Frighil, showing a neat arrangement of Irish airs. The same composer was also represented by a fantasia for violin and piano, played nicely by Peigi Ni Cheileachain and Una Ni Icidhe. One of the most enjoyable items was the singing by the mixed choir of Fletcher's choral fantasie from "Lohengrin," sung in Irish, with Rita Lynch, T. O Suilleabhain and S. O Tuama as soloists. Also enjoyable was the performance by mixed choir, orchestra and soloists of "Oro Bhuaichillin" by the director of the Society, Fachtna O h-Annrachain. It was interesting to hear the trio for piano, violin and 'cello, which won a special prize at the recent Oireachtas for its composer, Miss Sighle Larchet. The work showed that this young lady has quite a lot of her distinguished father's musical gifts.

LONDON LETTER

59 FLEET ST., LONDON,
MONDAY NIGHT.

A DING-DONG battle is promised in the St. Marylebone division at the next general election, following the Conservative Party's decision to nominate Mr. W. W. Wakefield, M.P., the old England Rugby captain, to tackle Captain Cunningham-Reid, the sitting member, who was elected on the Conservative ticket, but declared his complete independence some months ago. The party are determined to oust him, whatever the cost. Until the selection of Mr. Wakefield, Sir John Fitzgerald, Bart., the 21st Knight of Kerry, was the shadow candidate. Sir John, who has a host of friends, lives mainly at Warren House in Stanmore, Middlesex, where he has a private golf course. He enjoys a substantial share of the Bischoffshein banking fortune, as his mother is a daughter of the late Mr. Henri Louis Bischoffshein, who was associated in business with the late Sir Ernest Cassell, grandfather of the former Mrs. Cunningham-Reid.

Immunisation

Personal contacts with the parents by the health visitor have been found in Ipswich as the best means of propaganda for the diphtheria immunisation service. At the end of last year one-third of the town's children under five and almost two-thirds of those of school age had been immunised, but some progress has to be made before almost complete immunity for the population can be guaranteed. The Medical Officer of Health has had posters placed all over the area emphasising that the best time for immunisation is at the first birthday.

Swords into Ploughshares

In the drive for mechanisation British farmers have made use of all sorts of improvisations, and Mr. Hudson expressed no surprise when, at a ploughing demonstration at Beverley (Yorkshire) natural park, he saw an obsolete tank pulling three five-furrow ploughs, so that fifteen furrows were ploughed at a time. One of the most popular conversions with farmers in recent months has been the turning of ordinary tractors into track-laying machines, the ploughing capacity being increased by 50 per cent. Where an ordinary spade-lugged tractor in bottom gear would stall when pulling a three-furrowed plough up a slope of about 4 in 1, a tractor, equipped with tracks, will take the plough on with ease in second gear, even in heavy, wet soil.

"Life Tenants"

Sir Roy Lister Robinson, Chairman of the British Forestry Commission, broadcasting in the B.B.C.'s Pacific Service, which covers his native Australia, gave an interesting description of the Commission's report on post-war policy, summarised here some weeks ago. Sir Roy emphasised that forestry demanded above all long views and faith in the future. "At best we are but life tenants of an estate," he said, "and it behoves us to pass it on to future generations in better, not worse, condition than we found it." He pointed out that timber can be renewed indefinitely by suitable means, and that, properly looked after, it need not be a wasting asset like minerals. Mankind was only at the beginning of scientific methods of utilising wood which, by disintegration and refabrication and by chemical processes, had already been made to serve many unexpected purposes. Enthusiasts had gone so far as to speak of the approaching age of carbo-hydrates derived in great part from wood in succession to the age of iron.

AN IRISHMAN'S DIARY

Captain Purcell

During the late Captain Purcell's time as chief of the Dublin Fire Brigade (writes a correspondent), notable improvements were introduced in fire-fighting services of all the municipalities in these islands. To his work in modernising equipment and organisation of the men he brought up-to-date scientific knowledge, acquired largely by the study of methods and appliances employed in American cities.

This he did during 1906, when the Dublin Corporation gave him leave and expenses for visits to New York, Boston, Philadelphia and nearly all the great cities, as far west as Chicago and Milwaukee. In both cities, the big Irish element, on learning of his presence, bombarded him with requests to tell them stories about the Coombe and the purlieus of St. Patrick's Cathedral, on the strength of a report that had got abroad that he was a capital raconteur.

"I told them," he once said to me, "that my gifts in that line were over-rated, but, if they only transferred the colloquies of Mr. Dooly and Mr. Hennessy from Archie road to the places they knew best in Dublin, and gave their imagination a bit of scope, they would find themselves wafted across the Atlantic in a jiffy and enjoying all the humour of an Irish shanachie."

And forthwith came the reply from a middle-aged Dublin-born woman: "Bedad, sir, you've put money in my purse, and saved me the trouble and expense of packing-up to see the ould country."

Music in Sligo

To-morrow the Sligo Musical Society will celebrate its sixtieth season of active existence by a concert—a portion of which is to be relayed from Radio Eireann—devoted to selections from Handel's "Messiah," an appropriate gesture, as it was in Ireland that this great oratorio was first produced in 1842. The principal rôles will be taken by Mr. Robert McCullagh, tenor; Mrs. Sheila Pearse, contralto, and the Belfast baritone, Mr. Hooton Mitchell.

Since its foundation in 1882 by Dr. Arthur Froggatt, the Society has continued (with a break from 1920-22) to foster an interest in the "old masters," despite the encroachment of the less serious forms of musical entertainment which have arisen in recent years. Besides Handel, various works by Bach, Gounod, Bizet, Coleridge-Taylor, and other famous composers have been performed with outstanding success.

The Society's Choir, then under the guidance of Mr. Henry Loretto, organist at Calry Parish Church, Sligo, made its mark at Dublin Feis in the early days of this century. In later years its fortunes have largely been dependent on the energies of the Franklin family. Mark has been conductor since 1922, and his father, Henry, whose broadcasts and lectures on Irish folk music are a popular feature on both sides of the Irish Sea, directs the orchestra

It is interesting to note that another member of this intensely musical family, Michael Franklin, is a leading light in the musical life of Limerick, where he is organist and choirmaster at the Cathedral.

Provincial Premières

Dublin, in its time, has presented the European *première* of many an American film, but it may interest and surprise Dublin readers to hear that films running for the first time in the metropolis are not necessarily having their Irish *première*.

A film presented a few weeks ago for the first time to Dublin audiences had already enjoyed a successful run in a Limerick cinema, and it is not unusual for a picture to be tried out in Cork before it is exhibited to audiences in the capital.

It is strange to reflect that our Film Censor is one of the first men in Europe to see many of the films that have been imported from America, and stranger still to think that audiences in the provinces sometimes see the new musicolossals before we Dublin folk are privileged to see them!

QUIDNUNC.

RECITALS AT R.D.S.

The recitals at the R.D.S., Ballsbridge, yesterday, were given by Noel Mewton-Wood, who came in place of Eileen Joyce, the Australian pianist, unable to make the journey. Only a youth, Noel Mewton-Wood studied under Arthur Schnabel, and has played at the Queen's Hall and other centres with distinction. He is a pianist of outstanding ability, with easy, polished technique and tone control. There is freshness and vigour in his work, though in his treatment of the Purcell Toccata, with which he opened the afternoon recital, he was inclined to be over-emphatic.

His interpretation of the posthumous Sonata in A major of Schubert was imaginative. There were fluency and artistic contrasts in the thematic treatment of the different movements, notably the lovely Andantino. One liked immensely his colourful presentation of the Humoresque (Op. 20) of Schumann, and the interesting manner in which he caught the changing moods of the piece.

EXPOSITION AT MILITARY CHURCH

The Forty Hours' Adoration opens at the Military Church of the Sacred Heart, Arbour Hill, to-morrow, with Solemn High Mass at 10 o'clock, followed by the Procession of Exposition. Full military ceremonial honours will be paid during the High Mass, and a Colour party, guard of honour and Army Band will accompany the procession.

The church will be open to the public from after the High Mass throughout the day and for the Benediction at 8 o'clock. Sentinels will keep watch over the Blessed Sacrament throughout the Forty Hours.

There will be High Mass again on Thursday and Friday at 10 o'clock, and Benediction on Wednesday and Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock.

IRISH WILLS

Miss Sophia Louisa Peirce, 3 Ballabrooie Way, Douglas, Isle of Man, daughter of the late Dr. George Peirce, M.D., of Newcastle West, County Limerick, left £3,308 (Britain); Mrs. Eve Pansy Millicent Philippa Page Croft, Brackenstown, Swords, County Dublin, £9,458 (Britain); Mr. Joseph Bourke, Main street, Kanturk, County Cork, £8,744 (Britain); Mr. Harry Allen Russell, Churchtown Lodge, Dundrum, County Dublin, £3,585 (Britain); Mr. David Howell Haskins, Church Hill, Wicklow, £549 (Britain).

DEATHS

CUMMINS—December 3, 1943, at her residence, 46 Harrington Gardens, South Kensington, London, Mary (Polly), second eldest daughter of the late Thomas and Mary Cummins, Ardmore, Drogheda. R.I.P. Funeral arrangements later.

D'ARCY—December 6, 1943, at her residence, St. Michael street, Tipperary, Ellen (*née* Horgan), beloved wife of Charles J. D'Arcy. R.I.P. Remains will be removed at 5 o'clock (O.T.) to St. Michael's Church this (Tuesday) evening. Funeral at 1 o'clock (O.T.) to-morrow (Wednesday) to Doon. Office and High Mass on Thursday at 10.30 o'clock (O.T.) at Tipperary. No flowers, by request.

WILSON—December 6, 1943, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, after a brief illness, William, beloved husband of Marion Wilson, late of 16 Florenceville avenue, Belfast, and Carlow. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and family. House and funeral private.

KING'S HOSPITAL SCHOOL

"I think proficiency in the language is one of the ways in which boys of this school and others are going to be able to play a valuable part in the life of this country," declared Dr. T. W. Moody, F.T.C.D., following the distribution of prizes to pupils of the King's Hospital School, Dublin, whose Charter Day was held yesterday.

"The best possible thing that a school of this kind could do," he said, "is to encourage those boys who have a taste for it to be as good as they possibly can at this as well as other subjects, so that they may contribute—on whatever side of the border it may be—as large and as valuable a part to the life of this country as lies in their power." Dr. Moody expressed pleasure at the number of prizes for Irish included in those distributed, and at the fact that one of the Moderators in Irish in Trinity College this autumn was a King's Hospital boy.

The distribution of prizes by Mr. E. S. Robinson, Vice-chairman, Board of Governors, followed Divine Service in the college chapel.

In his annual report, the Rev. J. J. Butler, M.A., Headmaster, said that the total of 136 pupils now attending the school represented the biggest number for the past forty years. Satisfactory results had been obtained in the various examinations held. Papers in the Leaving Certificate examination—this year "set" for the first time by university professors—had occasioned much dissatisfaction. University professors were completely out of touch with the style of paper required for boys in this examination, and it was hoped that the Government would revert to the old method.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, BRAY

The Rev. Canon E. H. F. Campbell, M.A., Rector of Bray, will open his new ministry by preaching at all Services in St. Paul's Church, Bray, on Sunday next—10 a.m., 11.30 a.m., 3.30 p.m., and 7 p.m. Services are being held in St. Paul's owing to the temporary closing of Christ Church, Bray.

The Archbishop will institute him on Saturday in Christ Church, Bray, at 4.30 p.m.

MEDICAL OFFICERS' CONFERENCE

Papers on public health problems will be read at a conference of County Medical Officers of Health and Resident Medical Officers of Health to be held in the Custom House, Dublin, by the Department of Local Government on January 13th and 14th.

UNIVERSITY OF DUBLIN

The Senate will meet in the Theatre of Trinity College tomorrow at 12.45 p.m. for the purpose of considering a Grace for a Degree of D.D. *jure dignitatis*, and also at 2 p.m. for the purpose of conferring Degrees.

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	9.13	10. 5
Evening	9.27	10.17

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	9.25	9.26
Sets	5. 8	5. 7
Lighting-up Time	5.38	5.37

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

Announcements in this Column (which in all cases must be authenticated) are charged at the rate of 1/- per line (minimum 3/-).

BIRTHS

BOUCHIER HAYES—November 15, 1943, at the Leinster Nursing Home, to Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Bouchier Hayes, 43 Lower Leeson street, Dublin, a son.

HERBERT—December 3, 1943, at Charnwood, Ross road, Killarney, to Lilian, wife of Walter Herbert, a daughter.

MARK—November 28, 1943, at the Harcourt Nursing Home, to Emily C. ("Micky") (née Wells), Capragh, Carrickmacross, wife of John Mark, Penreoch, Airdrie, Scotland, a son.

RICHARDSON—December 1, 1943, at the Tivoli Nursing Home, Dun Laoghaire, to Mai, wife of J. W. Richardson, Herberton, Clonkeen road, Blackrock, Co. Dublin, a son (stillborn).

SHEPHERD—November 29, 1943, at the Leinster Nursing Home, to Hilda (née Allshire), wife of Thomas R. Shepherd, Pax Hill, The Rise, Glasnevin, a son.

DEATHS

BATES—December 6, 1943 (suddenly), at 68 Lower Drumcondra road, Dublin, Robert Bates, M.P.S.I. House private. Funeral arrangements later.

BUTLER—October 27, 1943, Beauchamp Henry, youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Butler, Mount Leinster, Borris, Co. Carlow.

BYRNE—December 5, 1943, at a Dublin hospital, Louisa Margaretta, widow of Andrew Byrne, Bray. Deeply regretted. House and funeral strictly private.

CASHEN—December 6, 1943, at Mercer's Hospital, Brendan Cashen, 37 Stoneybatter Dublin, and Crinkle, Birr, aged 20 years (late of G.N.R., Newry). Funeral from the Holy Family Church, Aughrim street, after 10 o'clock Mass, to-morrow (Wednesday) to Glasnevin Cemetery.

CAVANAGH-MURPHY — December 5, 1943, at The Grange, Curraglass, Co. Cork, Charlotte Anna, the wife of C. W. Cavanagh-Murphy, formerly of Stream Hill Doneraile. Funeral private.

COLE—December 6, 1943, at her residence, 17 Talbot's Inch, Kilkenny, Elizabeth, widow of the late Thomas Cole, aged 79 years. Funeral Service at St. Canice's Cathedral to-morrow (Wednesday), December 8th, at 2.30 p.m. (S.T.). "Thy will be done."

HOLLINSHEAD—December 4, 1943, Captain Stanley Hollinshead, of Carradale, Martello avenue, Dun Laoghaire. Funeral to-day (Tuesday) 10 a.m., from Monkstown Hospital to Dean's Grange. No flowers, by request.

KENNEDY—December 6, 1943, at the Ladies' Guest House, High Park Convent, Whitehall, Dublin, Florence Kennedy, aged 85 years, formerly of Little Moyle, Co. Carlow, and later of Glencar, Glenageary, Co. Dublin, surviving widow of the late John Kennedy, of 6 Margaret place, 565 North Circular road, Dublin, beloved by her late husband, and now deeply regretted by her two sons, Joe and James, and her daughter, Maudie. R.I.P. Funeral from North William Street R.C. Church to-morrow (Wednesday), after the 10 o'clock Mass. English papers please copy.

LOWNDES—December 6, 1943, at Mater Hospital, Dublin, Florence Lowndes, youngest daughter of the late Loftus Lowndes, Clonatin House, Gorey. Deeply mourned. Funeral private.

MURPHY—December 6, 1943, at his residence, 13 St. Mary's road, Ballsbridge, Dublin, Daniel, son of the late John B. Murphy, Q.C. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Funeral (strictly private), after 9 o'clock Mass at St. Mary's Church, Haddington road, to-morrow (Wednesday). No flowers.

O'CALLAGHAN—December 1, 1943, at Bristol, Esther Catherine, eldest daughter of the late Robert and Annie O'Callaghan, of Barstead, Blackrock, County Cork, Eire.

O'DONNELL—December 6, 1943, at her residence, 27 Raglan road, Nora, widow of the late Judge Thomas O'Donnell. Very deeply regretted. R.I.P. Remains will be removed this (Tuesday) evening at 6 o'clock to St. Mary's Church, Haddington road. Funeral to-morrow (Wednesday), after 9 o'clock Mass, to Glasnevin.

ROWE—December 3, 1943, Charles Henry Rowe, F.T.C.D., of 21 Leeson Park, Dublin, husband of Olive M. Rowe, and only son of the late James Charles Rowe, of Cork. Funeral arriving Mount Jerome to-day (Tuesday) at 10 a.m., after Service in Trinity College Chapel at 9 o'clock.

SEARIGHT—December 6, 1943, at a nursing home in Bray, after a long illness patiently borne, Jane Rosalie Searight, only surviving daughter of the late Graves Edward Searight, late of Springfield, Shankill, Co. Dublin. Funeral to Dean's Grange Cemetery, after Service at Rathmichael Church at 9.30 a.m. to-morrow (Wednesday), 8th inst. "With Christ, which is far better."

SPROULE—December 5, 1943, at her residence, Killoran, Coolaney, Co. Sligo, Eliza Jane Sproule. Funeral to Rathbarron Cemetery to-day (Tuesday), 1 o'clock.

STEWART—December 5, 1943, at his residence, Dunamoney, Magherafelt, John Stewart. Funeral to-morrow (Wednesday).

TAYLOR—December 3, 1943, Mary Jane Taylor, beloved wife of Thomas Taylor, late of Stackstown, Rathfarnham. Sadly missed by family and relatives. Interment at Whitechurch Cemetery at 11 a.m. to-day (Tuesday). "With Christ, which is far better."

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this column will be found in Page 3.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

LYNCH—The family of the late Mrs. Mary Lynch, Church street, Cahir, desire to return sincere thanks to all who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement, particularly those who sent Mass cards, telegrams and letters of sympathy, and trust that this will be accepted by all in grateful acknowledgment.

IN MEMORIAM

BOYD—In loving memory of Thomas Boyd, who passed away, December 7th, 1942.

FINDLAY—In loving memory of Margaret (Ma), who fell asleep, 7th December, 1939, dearly-loved mother of Mollie Williamson.

ROONEY—In loving memory of Henry J. Rooney, Phibblestown, Clonsilla, who died on December 7th, 1923, and of his widow, Catherine, who died December 1st, 1936. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on their souls.

WHEELOCK—In loving memory of my darling sister, Lilian M. E. Wheelock, Q.A.I.M.N., S/R., lost at sea, December, 1942. "Safe in the arms of Jesus."—Loly.

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Mr. Anthony Eden, British For… Secretary, M. Menemenjo… Turkish Minister of For… Affairs, and Mr. Harry Hopk… took part in the deliberatio…
Participation in this conference … the head of the Turkish S… in response to the cordial … vitation addressed to him by … United States, British … Soviet Governments, bears s… ing testimony to the strengt… the alliance which unites G… Britain and Turkey, and to … firm friendship existing bet… the Turkish people and … United States of America … the Soviet Union.
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The communiqué gives no clu… the intentions of the Tur… Government, beyond emphas… the strength of the existing A… Turkish alliance, but a R… cable from Cairo says that Ch… hill and Roosevelt have comp… a settlement with President In… on the military, political … economic problems of the Ba… world.

The Turkish Ministers flew to … conference in a 'plane sent for … use by Roosevelt. The Tu… delegation made a secret depa… in the dark from Ankara, goin… train to Adana on the frontier, … thence by air.

Cairo was flooded with rum… during the talks. When ask… Turkey was becoming less neutra… Sarper, Secretary of the Turkish … Bureau, said at a Press conferen… "You may write anything you l… Then, looking round the … room, he added: "I hope to s… hands with you all very soo… Ankara."

The Turkish Parliament, … understood, will meet to-da… extraordinary session to hear r… on the talks.

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